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'BIRTHDAY BATTLE' RAGES IN NORWAY

New Valleywide Airline Scheduled To Carry Freight

IS FIRST IN AMERICA TO HAUL LOADS

Valley Is Chosen For 'Good Business'

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DALLAS —(AP)— An air freight service to connect the Dallas-Fort Worth trade area with Brownsville, Harlingen and McAllen in the Rio Grande Valley was announced Saturday by Bob Trego, president of Texas Air Freights, Incorporated.

Trego said he expected to begin operations early in May.

First In America

"The new airline will establish main offices and operations base at Love Field and be the only scheduled, exclusive cargo service in the United States," Trego said. "A survey was made of the entire United States before this territory was selected as being the most promising for business."

Officials of the air line said this was the beginning of a new and important phase of air transportation, the carrying of freight by air plane. Checking and survey flights are being carried on now with test loads and route familiarization trips for the pilots.

Already Approved

Trego said his airline route had been approved by the Texas Railroad Commission and that the Civic Aeronautics Authority and the Texas Aviation Board had been notified of the plans, although the CAA has no jurisdiction over an intrastate route.

The company is a Texas corporation. The board of directors includes Trego, president; A. E. Trego, vice president; E. H. Pickering, vice president; V. R. Garrett, secretary-treasurer; Francis McDonald and James Gatewood.

J. E. Myers Injured At McAllen Corner

McALLEN—J. E. Myers, aged McAllen carpenter, was at City Hospital here late Saturday night with a broken right leg and other body bruises, result of being hit by an automobile as he crossed the street at 11th and Highway avenues Saturday about 10 p. m.

Patrolmen Earl Hersh and Richard Bales said Myers, about 70, was struck by a car driven by Kenneth Browning, Pharr. They said preliminary investigation indicated the accident was "unavoidable."

Frank S. Robertson Is Ill At Hospital

HARLINGEN—Frank Robertson, San Benito, manager of Cameron County Water Improvemnet District 2, was admitted to Valley Baptist Hospital Saturday midnight for treatment.

Attaches said a report would not be released until the hospital report had been completed. Robertson was understood to have seen his doctor Saturday, and decided to go to the hospital for treatment. He was released here several months ago after a serious kidney ailment had been remedied.

Lon Smith Quits

Rail Chief Won't Run Again

AUSTIN—(AP)—Lon A Smith, 71, chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission and a member of that body longer than any other man except the late Allison Mayfield, announced Saturday that he would retire at the end of his current term January 1.



LON SMITH

The race for Smith's place on the important, three-man commission probably will draw more entrants than any other 1940 contest.

Smith's retirement means that the railroad commission, which supervises the state's vast oil production, may have entirely new personnel by 1941. Commissioner Jerry Sadler is running for governor and Commissioner Ernest O. Thompson has announced for congress from the Amarillo district. The commission selects its own chairman.

Smith has been ill for several weeks.

26 Killed In Wreck Of Crack New York Central; 100 Hurt

120 Lots Sold, New Homes Due

Harlingen Sell-Out Termed Unique

HARLINGEN—Auctioneers, real estate men and builders Saturday envisaged an unprecedent-construction boom for this city as some 120 lots in Finwood Heights subdivision were sold at auction.

Realtors said "every single lot was sold, not a one was left." Seventeen applications for loans on new homes were made at the auction sale by persons anxious to build their own homes, the agents said.

Many Pay Cash

The lots averaged $125 to $150 each. It was estimated about 50 per cent of the buyers, many of whom paid cash, were potential home owners, the others builders and contractors expecting to build and sell.

Col. R. S. Parker, auctioneer, said the sell-out of lots could not have been accomplished in any other city in South Texas, and at no other time even in Harlingen.

He referred to the recent and current building boom in that sub-division which has seen dozens of new homes in recent months.

New Record Due

Builders and contractors estimated the potential boost to Harlingen building this year in the sale of the 120 lots to persons in Harlingen and various other sections of the Valley, would mean a larger construction total than in any previous year here.

WATER MEN FAVOR WEST

Re-Election Urged To Push New Bill

McALLEN—Seven irrigation districts of the Lower Rio Grande Valley were on record Saturday favoring the re-election of Congressman Milton H. West of Brownsville without opposition in order that he may spend his entire time on the proposal to construct a giant water storage and irrigation project for the Valley.

Study Resolutions

Directors of other water districts are studying the resolutions passed by the seven systems and are expected to indorse the proposal that no person in the fifteenth congressional announce against West.

The resolutions, all identical, recommends "to all loyal citizens of the Lower Rio Grande Valley that in view of the great importance of the nesessity of the passage of this bill, that no opposition to Congressman West's reelection be considered or assisted in any way, thereby enabling Congressman West to devote his entire time and efforts toward the securing of the necessary funds and completion of the storage reservoirs and diversion canals so necessary to the continued existence of the people of this section of Texas."

Districts which have already passed the resolutions are Hidalgo County Water Improvement District No. 6, Elsa; Hidalgo County Water Improvement District No. 2, San Juan; Cameron County Water Control and Improvement District No. 5, Brownsville; Hidalgo County Water Control and Improvement District No. 11, Mission; Hidalgo County Water Control and Improvement District No. 6, Mission; and Donna Irrigation District.

Bill Introduced

West introduced an amended bill in the house the past week, calling for an expenditure of $54,000,000 and limiting the number of acres which could be irrigated until a dam is constructed on the Rio Grande following negotiation of a treaty with Mexico.

Texas Soon To Pay Teacher Aid Checks

AUSTIN —(AP)— The legislative committee on state school aid said Saturday that final teachers' salary aid checks for the current school year probably would be ready for mailing next week.

The checks, totaling $1,962,659, represent a 100 per cent payment on aid claims approved by the committee, the first 100 per cent payment in history.

RESCUE WORK STILL RUSHED IN NEW YORK

Train Was Going Too Fast, Belief

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y.—(AP)—Rescue workers pried Saturday night into tons of twisted sleet-covered steel, once the New York Central's proud Lake Shore Limited, seeking possible additions to a known wreck toll of 26 persons.

Traveling 59 miles an hour, the New York-Chicago passenger train Friday night jumped the track at a 6-degree curve, the most abrupt on the system, and crashed with terrific force into a massive stone embankment.

Passengers Asleep

Three hundred passengers, most of whom were asleep in pullmans on the 16-car train, were hurled from their beds.

So badly mangled were the victims that only 18 had been identified, one tentatively, as dusk fell over this picturesque Mohawk Valley.

Approximately 100 other went to hospitals and physicians feared some of them may be added to the death roll.

Examination of wreckage still is incomplete, and Coroner Fred C. Sabin said he expected discovery of "three or more bodies."

Cause Unknown

F. E. Williamson, president of the New York Central, said it was "impossible" to learn the cause of the accident immediately, but the system's New York City office said the locomotive's speedometer showde it was roaring westward 14 miles an hour faster than the regulation 45 mile speed for operation around the curve.

The scene, at the foot of jutting hills, where the line has four parallel tracks, showed feet of some of the victims protruding from the wreckage. Everywhere lay the dead and injured.

Rescue work began in clear weather but drizzling rain and finally sleet provided an additional handicap.

It was the first passenger fatality on the New York Central system in 13 years. Last year, the system received the Harriman award for passenger safety.

Nazi Bombers Raid On England's Coast Tops Mine Laying

LONDON—(AP)—A prolonged and spectacular battle between British planes and shore batteries and German air raiders off the southeast British coast following the mining of two British merchantmen in that area Saturday night climaxed what Britons said were new Nazi aerial mine-laying operations in an effort to block off the flow of Allied troops to Norway.

Methodist Meeting Set For Wednesday

ATLANTIC CITY —(AP)— Representing the largest protestant church organization in the United States, the Methodist church will open Wednesday its first general conference since the uniting of its 7,856,000 members at Kansas City a year ago.

For three weeks, the 782 delegates from the United States, Europe, Asia, Africa and Latin America, representing 124 conferences, will legislate for the new denomination, review articles of doctrine, coordinate women's work and strengthen machinery for administration of a far-flung spiritual empire.

Transporting Stolen Goods Charged Pair

LAREDO—(AP)—Two men suspected of transporting stolen goods in interstate commerce, Harold Butler and Joseph P. Grimes, were held on $25,000 bonds Saturday after hearings on charges before U. S. Commissioner Frank Y. Hill.

The men were held for delivery to the Marshal of Iowa's northern district at Sioux City.

Six Persons Slain In Burma Rioting

RANGOON, Burma—(AP)—Six persons were stabbed to death and 20 injured Saturday in communal rioting on the eve of a Mohammedan feast-day. Troops and police restored order.

'Happy Birthday To You'

Hitler, 51, Gets Messages From Duce, Kings



IL DUCE



HITLER

BERLIN—(AP)—Benito Mussolini Saturday sent Adolf Hitler a birthday message expressing "definite confidence that the German people will victoriously stand the great test under which it has been placed."

Hitler replied with "hearty thanks" and an expression of "unshakeable belief" that the German and Italian people would win their "vital rights."

Hitler also got telegrams on his 51st birthday from King Christian of Denmark, whose country is under "protective" German occupation; King Leopold of the Belgians; Queen Wilhelmina of The Netherlands; King Carol of Rumania; Prince Paul ,the regent of Yugoslavia; King Vittorio Emanuele of Italy; Regent Nicholas Horthy of Hungary and Generalissimo Francisco Franco, chief of state of Spain.

The Last Roundup

Valley Census Men Enter Third Week, Hope To Round Up Stragglers In Area

HARLINGEN—The national census was well into its third week Saturday and most Valley towns were preparing to co-operate with enumerators in some way or another to round up the stragglers.

William C. Anderson, chairman of the chamber of commerce census committee, said that when enumerators have about finished their work that some action would be taken to check the city for those who might have been missed in Harlingen. There has been some discussion of a plan to employ several canvassers to go from house to house and inquire if the occupants have been counted. Names of those who have not been enumerated would be turned over to census takers.

Other Valley towns were reported considering several different methods of checking the count or stimulating people who have not been enumerated into reporting their names to some central place.

In Brownsville it was reported that coupons might be published in the papers so that persons who had not been enumerated might send their names and in McAllen the chamber of commerce was reported ready to make a game out of finding uncounted persons.

The city census was to have been completed theoretically on Tuesday but many enumerators had not made the rounds in their districts so that some communities became alarmed. They feared the count would be stopped on the dot but were assured by Francis W. Pulliam of Laredo, ditsrict supervisor, who came to the Valley this week that the work would continue until all were counted.

Intense rivalry between the cities added to the apprehension, each Valley community being anxious to make the best showing possible.

FUNDS DRIVE OPEN MONDAY

Community Fund To Hold Breakfast

HARLINGEN — Local business firms are sold on the idea of having only one campaign for funds instead of eight and there is expected to be a large group at the breakfast to be held at 7:30 a. m. Monday at the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel, according to J. J. Willingham and John Tucker, co-chairmen of the Harlingen Community Fund drive.

Willingham said that three teams of workers were sent out Friday to feel out the people in regard to continuance of the community fund idea and there was practically no sentiment for returning to the former basis where each organization

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FAKE JOBLESS GET WARNING

Illegal Collections To Be Stopped

BROWNSVILLE—"Beginning immediately we will file criminal charges against claimants who make false statements to secure unemployment compensation," Thurmond Krueger, TUCC supervising examiner, declared Saturday as he served notice of the tightened fraud provisions of the Texas Unemployment Compensation Act.

Mr. Krueger said that he had received the orders Saturday from Orville S. Carpenter, executive director of the Texas commission.

"We will file criminal charges against any individual guilty of misrepresentation or nondisclosure of any fact resulting in payment of jobless benefits when such benefits are not due him," the supervisor emphasized.

Executive Director Carpenter told Krueger that the Texas commission would be "unceasing" in its efforts to uncover cases of misrepresentation. He informed Krueger that no exceptions were to be made, and that charges were to be filed in every instance.

Notice will be given every unemployed individual claiming benefits of the provisions of the Texas act for filing of criminal charges in cases of misrepresentation, or nondisclosure, Krueger added.

Fergusons To Open Gubernatorial Race Campaign Saturday

AUSTIN —(AP)— Mrs. Miriam A. "Ma" Ferguson will open her campaign for governor at Waco next Saturday night, her husband, former Governor James E. Ferguson announced Saturday.

Ferguson said the rally would be on the courthouse lawn if the weather was fair and inside the courthouse if it rained. The talks will be broadcast over a statewide hookup.

OHIO VALLEY INUNDATED BY HEAVY FLOOD

Pittsburgh Hard Hit; Many Homeless

MARIETTA, O. —(AP)— Floods gripped the Ohio Valley from Pittsburgh to Cincinnati Saturday night and turned southern Ohio into a maze of lakes, isolating entire towns. Thousands were homeless.

Water rose menacingly around Pittsburgh's "Golden Triangle," downtown business area, poured past merchants' doors in Marietta, pioneer Ohio river city of 15,000, and climbed three-tenths of a foot an hour toward a tentative crest of 58 or 59 feet at Cincinnati. (Flood stage is 52 feet.)

Thousands Homeless

Thousands of residents in Ohio River Valley lowlands fled their homes or moved to second floors. Marietta merchants moved out stock. At Pomeroy, O., a general exodus began in expectation of five feet of water in the main street by morning.

Nearly a third of rural Ohio was inundated. The Hocking Valley experienced its worst flood since 1913. Among the towns completely isolated were Athens and Logan. Roads were closed at 83 places.

The Baltimore and Ohio railroad experienced track washouts in Ohio and West Virginia. A landslide covered Chesapeake and Ohio tracks at Orton, W. Va.

Tributaries Flooding

Streams feeding the Ohio river continued to rise in Ohio and western Pennsylvania, but began receding in West Virginia, Kentucky and Indiana. In southern Indiana, roads were impassable at 22 points.

Price Named Chief Of Young Democrats In Climax Session

BEAUMONT —(AP)— Price Daniel of Liberty was re-elected president of the Texas Young Democrats by acclamation early Saturday night in an anticlimatic final business session of the eighth annual convention here.

The convention was in near riot during early afternoon attempts to override recommendations of the credentials committee, but moved along schedule after the convention upheld the committee.

Roosevelt Endorses Children's Crusade

WASHINGTON —(AP)— President Roosevelt, endorsing the Children's Crusade for Children, said it should make American boys and girls understand and feel "the consequences of the breakdown of tolerance and fair play."

"We need in this country," he added, "a genuine concern for our freedoms which will parallel and transcend the fanaticism being aroused among young people in behalf of tyranny."

McDonald Opposes Mexican Oil Sale

AUSTIN —(AP)— W. H. McDonald, candidate for a place on the Texas Railroad Commission, Saturday urged the commission and the oil industry generally to oppose sale of Mexican produced oil in Texas.

BURNED TO DEATH

GEORGETOWN, Tex.—(AP)—Aston Parker, 29-year-old invalid, burned to death at his home Saturday when fire, apparently started by a wood heater, razed the residence.

Alamo Victims' Survivors Get Aid

48 Dependents To Be Taken CareOf After Investigation Completed

McALLEN—Six weeks of patient investigation by an American Red Cross disaster case worker has paved the way for assistance to 48 dependents of victims and survivors of the Alamo truck-train crash on March 14. The crash which took a toll of 29 lives, was the worst in the history of Texas. A fund of $2,000 has been established for the rehabilitation work.

Mrs. Edith Hennessey, disaster case worker for the American Red Cross' regional bureau at St. Louis, completed four weeks of investigation and submitted her report to an advisory committee at a meeting in the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building here Friday night.

Mrs. Hennessey's report, accepted and approved after consideration by the committee, showed that of the total of 48 survivors or victims who were injured in the crash, 33 of them were less than 20 years of age and 28 of them ranged in age from two months to 15 years. In considering methods of assisting these unfortunate persons, the advisory committee and Mrs. Hennessey made arrangements, particularly in such cases where both father and mother were killed in the crash, leaving minor children, for a long-term assistance program. A maximum of one year was set for this assistance, however, with local Red Cross chapters to consider the cases when the initial assistance had been exhausted.

The Latin-American Protestant pastors' committee, which inaugurated the "Alamo Relief Fund" at memorial services for the victims a few days after the tragedy, reported it had raised approximately $700. The Rev. P. Lujan, pastor of the Pharr Latin-American Methodist Church, was chairman of the

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British Transport Hit By Bomb: Allies Strike

Allies Think Norse Invasion Shows Nazis Supplies Running Out Already

STOCKHOLM (Sunday)—(AP)—British troops have penetrated to eastern Norway and are participating with the Norwegians in fighting the German invaders, the Norwegian army reported early today in a communique from "somewhere in Norway" covering Saturday's warfare. The communique said the British were in "Ostlandet," meaning the "eastern land," and added that two German tanks were destroyed in close fighting at Randsfjorden, on the railroad 30 miles north of German-held Oslo and only 30 miles from the Swedish border.

By The Associated Press

Germany flashed the challenge of her air might in birthday battle for Adolf Hitler Saturday night against the expanding Allied drive to establish an army in Norway.

Hardly had the British made their boast that an Allied fighting force had been transported 400 miles and landed in Norway without the loss of a single life, than Germany countered officially with an assertion of Saturday afternoon air successes against British landing forces and their transport and convoy.

Germany claimed her warplanes had sunk a British cruiser guarding landing operations, set fire a big transport disembarking troops and then had "effectively" bombed Allied troops already landed in Romsdals Fjord near Port Andalsnes, 125 miles southwest of German-held Trondheim.

Nazis Claim Victory

Just before that the official German news agency, DNB, declared that one British transport had been sunk and two other transports and a cruiser damaged somewhere off the Norwegian coast on Friday.

The Allies, however, reported they had established themselves already on Norwegian soil with at least two British divisions and one division of French troops.

Britain also said that her submarines torpedoed two transports in a German convoy. It was not announced whether the transports had sunk.

British communiques said also the Allied forces in Norway "occupied certain positions of vantage" on April 19, and operations there are "proceeding according to plan." Three German planes were reported shot down and others damaged in unsuccessful raids on British naval units and transports.

The British announced two Merchant casualties of their own on the seas, the cargo ships, Mersey and Hawnby going down after explosions on the southeast coast of Britain. Thirteen men were dead or missing.

The ships were the first lost in that coastal area this month. Some sources attributed the losses to new mines laid by German warplanes. Mysterious planes were off the southeast coast again Saturday night, for the second time this week, and heavy gunfire was heard offshore.

Germans Confident

Although it was conceded in Berlin that formidable British forces have been landed far to the north, in the Lofoten Island region opposite Narvik, and at points further south, German military leaders expressed confidence that German shock troops could prevent effective cooperation between British and Norwegian soldiers.

They added, with a great show of confidence, that Allied efforts on Norwegian soil were bound to be more or less ineffectual because of "the demonstrated vulnerability of

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War

AT A GLANCE

By The Associated Press

BERLIN — German declares air squadron attacked British landing operation in Norwegian fjord, sinking cruiser, wrecking big transport, "effectively" attacking landed troops; Reich heils Hitler on 51st birthday.

LONDON—Reporting successful operations on land and sea and in air, Britain declares huge Allied force sent to Norway without loss of single life, two merchant ships lost, two German transports torpedoed.

OSLO — German commander warns Norway of "dreadful" retribution if resistance to German occupation continues.

STOCKHOLM—German advance from Oslo reported halted at Elverum.

PARIS — Reynaud government seeks "Mediterranean entente" in appeasement move toward Italy; French troops reported operating in Norway; fierce air fights resumed on western front.

BUCHAREST — Rumania gets promise of German munitions and warplanes, gives Germany commercial concessions.

VALLEY FORTS IN MANEUVERS

600 Soldiers Leave For East Texas

BROWNSVILLE — Approximately 600 troops from Fort Brown at Brownsville and Fort Ringgold at Rio Grande City will take part in Ninth Corps and Third Army maneuvers in the Angeline-Sabine area of East Texas in May.

First of the troops to leave the two Valley posts will go Tuesday, by motor transport.

A unit from Fort Ringgold will come to Fort Brown Monday, and with the Brownsville post's unit of six officers and 139 enlisted men will leave at 1 p.m. Tuesday.

Two trains will move the remaining troops from Fort Brown who will participate in the "war" games in East Texas, leaving Brownsville Friday. Animals and equipment of the Fort Brown troops will go by one of the two trains.

From Fort Ringgold troops will go by train also; nearly 400 men stationed at Fort Brown and about 200 more from Fort Ringgold will go to Jasper in East Texas where they will pass over to control of the Ninth Corps for corps and Third Army maneuvers.

Troops participating in the maneuvers in East Texas, said to be the largest concentration of soldiers for training in the peacetime history of the army, will be relieved from duty about May 27, and will be back at their home stations around June 1.

Long Time New York Society Queen Dies

NEW YORK—(AP)—Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, widow of the grandson of the founder of the Vanderbilt dynasty and long a reigning queen in New York society, died late Saturday in a New York hospital.

She was noted especially for her philanthropies, particularly in behalf of war sufferers, and during the World War was one of the Red Cross' most active workers. For this contribution, she was made a Knight of the Legion of Honor by France in 1919 and received the rank of officer in the Legion 12 years later.

Big Check Is Lost By Education Board

DALLAS—(AP)—Search for a $111,000 check lost between Austin and Dallas was begun by the board of education Saturday after C. M. Moore, secretary, discovered that a remittance representing part of the state school apportionment had been sent but lost.

Japs Buy Oil

Mexico Signs Up For Big Contract

MEXICO CITY —(AP)— It was learned authoritatively Saturday that the Laguna Petroleum Company, a Japanese firm, has signed a $3,000,000 contract to purchase Mexican oil, gasoline and kerosene, an action which the Mexican government was awaiting before replying to a United States suggestion to arbitrate the petroleumn controversy.

It is understood the government would consider its economic position greatly strengthened by a signed and sealed contract with the Japanese and would make much of this point in replying to the suggestion of Secretary of State Cordell Hull for settlement of Mexico's seizure of the vast foreign-owned oil industry.

An official source said the reply likely would be a firm rejection of the arbitration proposal.

BATTLE RAGES OVER NORWAY ON BIRTHDAY

British, Norse Now Fight Together

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the British fleet to German air bombers."

In Berlin German war maps showed widening arcs of German occupation about Oslo, Bergen, Stavanger and even Arctic Narvik.

German military experts estimated that about 40 per cent of Norway's 3,000,000 people now are in regions occupied by German troops, an area placed at about 12,500 square miles.

Norwegian mobilization in the Oslo region has been disrupted, they contended, and the German march is going on northward of Kongsvinger, near the Swedish border.

British Lose Ships

In 11 days of sea action, which failed to dislodge the Germans from Narvik, the experts asserted, the British have lost four cruisers, 10 torpedo boats or destroyers and eight submarines, while six battleships or cruisers and one airplane carrier have been damaged seriously. This tabulation is unofficial.

Pointing to the availability of Norway as a base for air attack on England, one expert said:

"Norway is an unsinkable airplane carrier for us."

Stockholm advices had it that the German armed penetration north from Oslo was repulsed at Elverum, about 75 miles north of the German-occupied Norwegian capital. This contradicted previous Swedish reports that the Nazis had taken Elverum.

Reports of Allied troop landings sai dbetween 30,000 and 40,000 men came ashore at ....., Molde and Laerdal. These points could be bases for drives on German on concentrations at Bergen and Trondheim.

In Germany, where the press and the populace set up a chorus of "heils" to congratulate Adolf Hitler on his 51st birthday, there was irritation that Norway had dared to oppose Nazi "protection."

This was echoed in Oslo where the German commander-in-chief of the army of occupation put a "last" demand to the Norsemen to stop "this nonsensical resistance" on pain of feeling "dreadful" power of German arms.

Norwegians condemned to die under German interpretation of international law since the occupation were given a Hitler birthday present of their lives.

France Woos Italy

The French government held out an olive branch to Italy.

Speaking to the foreign affairs committee of the senate, Premier Paul Reynaud said France hoped for a "Mediterranean entente," in pursuit of which she had carried on a "friendly exchange of views" with both Italy and Spain since the outbreak of European war hostilities.

Rome was not particularly responsive to the idea. Her press, lately has been 100 per cent pro-German.

In authoritative Italian quarters it was said that Italy's chief complaint against the Allies is that they have her trade routes bound up by control of the Mediterranean.

Moreover, Saturday Benito Mussolini went out of his way to send a birthday message to Hitler expressing confidence the German people would successfully withstand their "great test."

Foremost development in the nervous Balkans was Rumania's new trade agreement with Germany which held an amendment containing a promise from Germany that she would send Rumania great quantities of munitions and fighting planes in exchange for minor commercial concessions.

For the first time since the main theatre of the war shifted to Scandinavia, there was furious air fighting on the western front. The Allies claimed upwards of a half dozen German planes were brought down. The Germans reported they had bagged four enemy planes in dogfights or by anti-aircraft artillery action.

In their aerial fighting along the western front both Allied and German planes flew repeatedly over the borders of The Netherlands and Belgium and one German bomber crashed at the tip of The Netherlands, victim of a Belgian patrol plane.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Mr. and Mrs. Jack Compton on the birth of a son weighing eight pounds at the L. and L. Clinic at 10 a.m. Saturday.

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KPRC (Houston) NBC dial 920 KTSA (San Antonio) CBS dial 550

7:00 A. M.
KRGV—Peerless Trio
KWKH—Vaughan Quartet
WLW—Organ and Xylophone.

7:30 A. M.
KRGV—Tone Pictures
KPRC—Skypilot
WOAI—Gene and Glen
KWKH—C L Embrey—talk
WLW—Church Forum Forest Lawn Memorial Park.

8:00 A. M.
KRGV—Valley Radio Chapel
KPRC—Bright and Early Choir
KTSA—Today in Europe
WOAI—Bright and Early Choir
KWKH—Today in Europe
WLW—Children's Hour

8:30 A. M.
KRGV—Dance Music
KPRC—Sunday Drivers
KTSA—Christian Science
WOAI—Sunday Drivers
KWKH—Wings Over Jordan
WLW—Children's Hour

9:00 A. M.
KRGV—Chuck Wagon Gang
KPRC—Pleasantdale Folks
KTSA—Chuck Wagon Gang
WOAI—Radio Pulpit
KWKH—Sunday Players
WLW—String Quartet

9:30 A. M.
KRGV—Real Estate Hour
KPRC—T. J. Bettes Co.
KTSA—March of Games
WOAI—Bill Johnson, baritone
KWKH—March of Games
WLW—Sunday News

10:00 A. M.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Press News
WOAI—News
KWKH—Press News
WLW—NBC Program

10:30 A. M.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Major Bowes Family
WOAI—Music, American Youth
KWKH—Mayor Bowes Family
WLW—Happy Jim Parsons

11:00 A. M.
KRGV—Radio City Music Hall
KTSA—Major Bowes Family
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—Morning Services
WLW—Cadle Tabernacle Choir

11:30 A. M.
KRGV—Radio City
KTSA—Travis Park Methodist Church
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—Morning Services
WLW—Radio City Music Hall

12:00 noon
KRGV—Pilgrimage of Poetry
KTSA—Church of the Air
WOAI—Music for Moderns
KWKH—Church of the Air
WLW—Music of Masters

12:30 P. M.
KRGV—Al and Lee Reiser orch
KPRC—Organ Reveries
KTSA—Democracy In Action
WOAI—Hollywood Today
KWKH—Democracy In Action
WLW—Hollywood Today

1:00 P. M.
KRGV—News, Weather
KPRC—Fogle-West Ensemble
KTSA—Salute to Americas
WOAI—Salute to Americas
WLW—Smoke Dreams
KWKH—Salute to Americas

1:30 P. M.
KRGV—Dance Music
KPRC—Houston Symphony Series
KTSA—Press News
WOAI—Univ. Chicago Round Table
KWKH—Louisiana State Normal
WLW—Church by the Side of the Road

2:00 P. M.
KRGV—Christian Science
KPRC—I Want A Divorce
KTSA—New York Philharmonic—Symphony
WOAI—Gonzalez Warm Springs Foundation
KWKH—New York Philharmonic—Symphony
WLW—Peters and Organ

2:30 P. M.
KRGC—Tapestry Musicale
KPRC—European News
KTSA—Philharmonic—Symphony
WOAI—European News
KWKH—Philharmonic—Symphony
WLW—News in Review

3:00 P. M.
KRGV—National Vespers
KPRC—Art For Your Sake
KTSA—Philharmonic—Symphony
WOAI—Old Fashion Revival
KWKH—Philharmonic—Symphony
WLW—Unsolved Mysteries

3:30 P. M.
KRGV—Chamber Music
KPRC—The World Is Yours
KTSA—Pursuit of Happiness
WOAI—Old Fashion Revival
KWKH—Pursuit of Happiness
WLW—Aldrich Family

4:00 P. M.
KRGV—Edward Davies
KPRC—Yvette
KTSA—Music for Fun
WOAI—Yvette—Songs
KWKH—Training Table
WLW—Musical Steelmakers

4:30 P. M.
KRGV—Lutheran Hour
KPRC—Sunday Players
KTSA—Rhythm
WOAI—Crossroads
KWKH—John Kirby orch
WLW—Cavalcade of America

5:00 P. M.
KRGV—Birthday Party
KPRC—Catholic Hour
KTSA—Silver Theatre
WOAI—Catholic Hour
KWKH—Uncle Natchel
WLW—Blue Barron

5:30 P. M.
KRGV—Cavalcade of Hits
KPRC—Melody Memory Moments
KTSA—Gene Autry's Melody Ranch
WOAI—South Texas High School Band
KWKH—Gene Autry
WLW—Ted Weems "Beat The Band"

6:00 P. M.
KRGV—Jack Benny
KPRC—Jack Benny
KTSA—The World This Week
WOAI—Jack Benny
KWKH—World This Week
WLW—Jack Benny

6:30 P. M.
KRGV—Baseball Scores Ty Cobb 6:45
KPRC—Bandwagon
KTSA—Screen Guild Theatre
WOAI—Bandwagon
KWKH—Screen Guild Theatre
WLW—Prof. Quiz

7:00 P. M.
KRGV—Musical Comedy Revue
KPRC—Charlie McCarthy
KTSA—Concert in Rhythm
WOAI—Charlie McCarthy and Company
KWKH—Concert in Rhythm
WLW—Charlie McCarthy and Company

7:30 P. M.
KRGV—Voice of Hawaii
KPRC—One Man's Family
KTSA—So You Think You Know Music
WOAI—One Man's Family
KWKH—So You Think You Know Music?
WLW—One Man's Family

8:00 P. M.
KRGV—Sunday Review
KPRC—Walter Winchell
KTSA—Sunday Eve Hour
WOAI—Walter Winchell
KWKH—Sunday Eve Hour
WLW—Walter Winchell

8:30 P. M.
KRGV—Sunday Review
KPRC—Familiar Music Album
KTSA—Sunday Eve Hour
WOAI—Familiar Music Album
KWKH—Sunday Eve Hour
WLW—Irene Rich

9:00 P. M.
KRGV—Sunday Review
KPRC—Hour of Charm
KTSA—Ellery Queen
WOAI—Hour of Charm
KWKH—Take It or Leave It
WLW—Hour of Charm

9:30 P. M.
KRGV—NBC Program
KPRC—Home Town
KTSA—Columbia
WOAI—Home Town Unincorporated
KWKH—Richard Himber
WLW—This Land of Ours

10:00 P. M.
KRGV—News and Sports
KPRC—AP News
KTSA—News by Air
WOAI—News
KWKH—Mitchell Ayres orch
WLW—Peter Grant—News

10:30 P. M.
KRGV—Johnny Messner
KPRC—Francis Craig orch
KTSA—Lewis Armstrong
WOAI—Frances Craig orch
KWKH—Bob Crosby orch
WLW—Gardner Benedict orch

11:00 P. M.
KRGV—Sign Off
KPRC—Ben Pollock orch
KTSA—Dance Time
WOAI—Will Bradley orch
KWKH—Headline Review
WLW—Castle Farm orch

11:30 P. M.
KPRC—Skyline Radio Chapel
KTSA—Jan Garber orch
WOAI—Chas Spivak orch
KWKH—Orrin Tucker
WLW—Moon River

OBITUARY

MRS. LOUISA VOLLMER

SHARYLAND—Funeral services for Mrs. Louisa Vollmer, who died at her home on south Shary Boulevard Friday night, were held Saturday afternoon at the Kreidler Chapel in McAllen with Rev. Roe of the Mission Methodist Church officiating. The body was shipped to Dunlap, Iowa for interment.

Mrs. Vollmer, the widow of Charles Vollmer, would have been 70 on June 6. She was born in Wisconsin, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Noh. She had led an active life.

Survivors are six children, Mrs. Fred Schlensig of Sharyland, Richard Vollmer of Mission, Mrs. Lewis Hartwig of Dunlap, Iowa, Art Vollmert of Dunlap, Iowa, Mrs. Floyd Wall of El Reno, Okla., and Mrs. R. R. Mueller of San Antonio. Sixteen grandchildren and one great grandchild also survive.

FUNDS DRIVE OPEN MONDAY

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in the city conducted its own drives.

The community fund provides money for eight organizations including the Valley Baptist Hospital, Parent-Teacher Association, Girl Reserves, Salvation Army, Boy Scouts, Day Nursery, public library and direct relief.

Willingham said Saturday night that about 75 persons had promised to be at the breakfast and that all interested parties were invited. Plans for the campaign will be outlined fully at that time.

WORK ON BANK IS SCHEDULED

McAllen Institution To Be Enlarged

McALLEN — Interior remodeling of the City State Bank and Trust Company is scheduled to begin Monday, with employees preparing for a holiday in observance of San Jacinto Day.

The reconstruction of the interior will result in a 100 per cent increase over the present size of the main floor. Tellers cages now along the north wall of the bank will be removed and customers' tables added. There will be no furnishings of any kind in the center of the lobby.

Two additional tellers cages will be added along the south wall while the office of S. L. Miller, president, will be moved from its present site in the front of the building to a position in the rear.

Miller said the remodeling should be completed within 30 days. During the time the work is in progress business will continue as usual, he said.

SURVIVORS TO GET RELIEF

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committee, and Brad Smith, McAllen newspaperman, was treasurer. The largest contribution to this fund, a check for $450, came from the Grand Prize Brewery in Houston. The money was made available when the grand champion steer of the Houston Fat Stock Show was purchased by V. H. Shepherd, brewery president, then re-sold and the proceeds donated to three South Texas charities.

Starr County Red Cross chapter, headed by Bascom Spillar, Rio Grande City banker, as chairman, raised approximately $300, and the American Red Cross provided the additional $1,000 to round out the fund of $2,000. The fund will be administered by Spillar and W. C. Jones, Jr., chairman of the Hidalgo County Red Cross chapter, in conjunction with the special advisory committee established to survey the needs and carry out the relief program. Food, clothing and shelter for a period of a year will be provided for the six families who suffered the greatest losses and in which most of the minor children, were affected.

The American Red Cross sent Mrs. Hennessey to the Valley at the request of the Starr County chapter, she asserted, and she took over the five weeks' task of investigating circumstances facing each of the 17 families affected by the tragedy and the needs of the 48 dependent survivors or recovered victims. Three victims are still receiving treatment in McAllen Municipal Hospital for severe injuries sustained in the crash, but all are believed recovering.

Missouri Pacific Railroad, whose morning passenger train was in collision with a truck driven by Jose Ramon of Garceno and Donna at the Tower Road crossing at the east city limits of Alamo, has assumed all ambulance, hospital, surgeons' and nurses' bills of the injured, it was asserted.

The Red Cross advisory committee which will oversee administration of the fund includes Spillar, Fred Guerra, Mrs. Solis and Pedro Diaz, all of Rio Grande City and representing the Starr County Red Cross; Jones and Dick Harris, McAllen, of the Hidalgo County Red Cross; the Rev. Lujan, the Rev. L. Vidaurri of Weslaco and Smith, representing the Latin-American Protestant pastors' committee; and the Rev. Father George Laliberte, assistant pastor of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, McAllen.

Politics In Lull; Storm Brewing?

By BILL BREWSTER

BROWNSVILLE — Two-year-old children are asking their mothers, "Mama, what's a politician?"

And the lads that have seen a couple or more political years are scratching their own heads. The lull along Cameron county's political fronts has them worried.

District candidates must file by June 3. County and precinct candidates have until June 15. With the last deadline some less than two months off, there's hardly a ripple on the lake.

Means Paying Cold Cash

Nobody expects candidates to step up and file officially, until the last few days, because that means paying cold cash across the counter.

But announcements can be expected any time, and they've been few and far between.

The sheriff's office has been considered Cameron county's fertile field for a heated political flurry. So far that particular political pot has little more than simmered.

Incumbent Sheriff J. A. Goolsby is asking for a fourth term. Bill Cabler, who was Sheriff Goolsby's chief deputy for nearly five years, has announced for the job, along with Tom Morrison of Combes.

Others Hinting

At least one or possibly two others are hinting at last-minute blitzkriegs, but whatever announcing theyv'e done so far has been in the way of feeling out the situation among their friends.

The district attorney's race has drawn out three candidates so far, while one or two other prospects have announced they do not choose. Incumbent Joe P. Hatchitt of Corpus Christi, is going to ask for a third term at the post, with Ray A. Scott and W. B. Weaver, Corpus Christi lads also, making their bids.

From there down, Cameron county appears quiet—except for a county commission post and about one justice of the peace job.

Weikel Opposed

Commissioner Grover J. Weikel has drawn a couple of opponents so far in Precinct One, the Port Isabel precinct—C. A. Stanford of Los Fresnos and Tom J. Hunt of Port Isabel.

Commissioner Weikel, incidentally, has disclaimed any intention of a try for the county judge's post, saying he just wants another term as commissioner.

County Judge Oscar C. Dancy seems unopposed all around, although plenty of rumors have named aspirants to that job.

Ward Just Smiles

James D. Ward of San Benito, one who's been hinted to oppose Judge Dancy, just smiles and points out he's working for the federal government and there's a thing called the Hatch Bill. He certainly won't be a candidate until he drops his agricultural work for the government, Mr. Ward says.

Ralph T. Agar is another who's been suggested as timber to oppose the county judge, but he says definitely he'll be up for another term as county tax assessor-collector.

Down toward the bottom of the prospective ballot, about the only opposition that has crystallized is in Brownsville, the race for justice of the peace, Precinct Two, place two.

Two Against Krausse

Judge Henry J. Krausse will be back asking another term, with Fred Kowalski and Raul Dominguez, both of whom have served previous hitches as J.P.'s out for his post.

Constable Walter Keller at Brownsville, has heard rumors there will be opposition for his job, but only rumors. And that's about the way most of the incumbents stand.

Mostly it seems to be the spectators who are worried. They can't understand why there's no more fire. "It'll all be over pretty soon," is the general wail.

Two Schools

Spectators are of two schools: Both believe the incumbents will do little talking until there is opposition; one side figures the new candidates should come out early and give the voters lots of time to think about them; the other school feels the new candidates are waiting until the last so the opposition won't have so long to talk about them.

And each school thinks maybe the other school has the right slant on the situation.

Meadows Loses

Ruling Favors Bank In Damages Suit

HARLINGEN — In the $10,000 damage suit brought by D. B. Meadows, Harlingen, against the First National Bank at Harlingen several weeks ago, Judge James Graham Saturday afternoon ruled complaint was not entitled to damages and assessed court costs against him.

Attorneys for Meadows said the case would be appealed at the Fourth Court of Civil Appeals, San Antonio.

Meadows charged malicious prosecution of civil claims against the bank, in connection with two notes held by the bank against property near Harlingen. Suit on the notes was dismissed by the bank, but Meadows claimed the bank had no right to sue for collection of the notes and did so maliciously. Meadows' funds at the bank were impounded for several days, before the original trial was dismissed.

WOMAN MUST HANG

LAKE CHARLES, La.—(AP)—Mrs. Annie Beatrice Henry, 24, convicted of the rice field killing of Joseph Calloway, Houston, Tex., salesman, was denied a new trial Friday and will be sentenced Wednesday to hang.

REALTORS TO STATE PARLEY

Valley Delegation To Be Large

HARLINGEN—Valley directors of the Texas Real Estate Association Saturday announced plans for a drive to secure the largest Valley delegation present at the state convention to be held at Galveston May 16 to 18.

Larry Powers, Sid Berly and Elmer Johnson, the Valley's three directors on the state board, urged affiliated members of the Valley board to make arrangements in advance for attendance at the convention, with a view to having the largest representation at Galveston. A trophy is awarded by the association for the association with the greatest attendanct.

The week of May 13 to 19 has been proclaimed by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel as "Real Estate Week in Texas," and Galveston has made elaborate plans to welcome the largest convention in history.

Powers pointed out that not only are real estate men invited to the convention, but also all licensed dealers, mortgage bankers, title men, contractors, local men, building supply dealers and architects

Houston Residents Visit In Harlingen

HARLINGEN—Mrs. E. J. Fisher, Houston, formerly of Harlingen, and her son, Allen Chaffin, also former Harlingen resident, arrived here Saturday night for the San Jacinto holiday.

Accompanying them were A. M. Fossler, and Kermit Lewis, both of the Federal Land Bank at Houston. Chaffin is employed as a secretary at the land bank. Mrs. Fisher recently moved to Houston from Gladewater.

The Weather

THE VALLEY: Partly cloudy to cloudy Sunday; Monday cloudy, thundershowers and cooler. Moderate southerly winds increasing Monday.

EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy to cloudy Sunday; Monday cloudy, thundershowers and cooler. Moderate southerly winds on the coast increasing Monday.

OKLAHOMA: Increasing cloudiness, warmer Sunday except Panhandle; Monday generally fair west, cloudy east, showers extreme east portion, cooler.

ARIZONA: High cloudiness Sunday with scattered local showers, with cloudiness decreasing Monday. Slightly cooler Monday.

NEW MEXICO: Fair with high cloudiness and scattered local showers Sunday. Monday fair with decreasing high cloudiness. Slightly cooler Monday.

WEST TEXAS: Continued high cloudiness with showers southeast portion late Sunday or early Monday. Slightly cooler north portion Monday night.

Oil Agents Return From Sales Parley

HARLINGEN—Six Valley agents for Sinclair products returned to this section Saturday from a San Marcos sales conference, and a barbecue at Alice Friday.

Agents are J. B. Hicks, Harlingen; E. C. Reasonover, Mercedes; C. R. Fitzpatrick, Edinburg; Ted Lemberg, McAllen; J. O. Cunningham, Brownsville, and Olen Rome, Mission.

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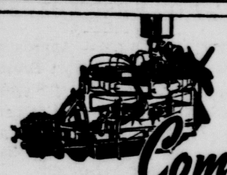
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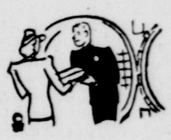
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Reds Threaten Alaska With Air Base

ARMY PLANS TO BUILD UP U. S. DEFENSE

Russ Navy, Air Bases On Aleutians

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Reports that Russia has established naval and air bases near the Aleutian Islands, congressional sources said Saturday, are behind intensified army efforts to strengthen defenses in Alaska.

Informed legislators said they understood that the army definitely had confirmed that Russia has constructed bases on the Siberian coast less than 100 miles from American-owned islands in the Aleutian chain which extends southwestward from Alaska.

Are For Defense

The army's high command was said to take the attitude that the bases were designed primarily for defense against possible attack by Japan or Siberia, but to feel that the United States could not afford to assume that such establishments would never be used against it.

It was indicated that Genearl George C. Marshall, chief of staff, would be questioned on this point when he testifies before a Senate committee, probably next week, on the army's request for $12,734,000 for construction of a strategic air base at Anchorage, Alaska.

The House turned down the request. War department officials have made known, however, that they will ask the Senate to restore at least $6,000,000 of the sum to the department supply bill.

New Cruisers Due

Also bearing on national defense was a disclosure by Chairman Vinson (D-Ga) of the House naval committee that the navy contemplates building 20,000-ton cruisers—twice the size of its present "treaty type"—as soon as the pending $655,000,000 fleet expansion bill becomes law and funds are available.

The larger ships, it was explained, would have greatly increased cruising range which would make them more useful for missions in the far Pacific or the south Atlantic. They also would be better suited for duty with the projected 45,000-ton battleships.

SASSCER BACK FROM MEXICO

Plant Quarantine Chief Returns

BROWNSVILLE—E. R. Sasscer, Washington, chief of the U. S. Department of Agriculture's division of foreign plant quarantine, was in Brownsville this week, returning from a two-week trip into Mexico with O. D. Deputy, agriculture department official here.

Mrs. Sasscer and Mrs. Deputy accompanied them on the trip into the southern republic.

The group left Brownsville March 30, and returned here Tuesday night. They visited towns in the vicinity of Mexico City, making their headquarters for the trip there.

While in Mexico they witnessed recent demonstrations, staged throughout Mexico on one day, protesting the United States' request for arbitration of the oil expropriation controversy.

The group's stay in Mexico was purely a pleasure trip, Mr. Deputy said. They made courtesy calls on members of Mexico's agriculture department, but conducted no official business, he said.

New Charro Films In Color Offered In Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE—Colored motion pictures of Charro Days, pictures never shown here before, will be flashed on the screen Monday at 7 p. m. at the Hotel El Jardin here.

The pictures will be shown by M. D. L. Van Over, executive director of Woburn Industries, Harrison, N. J., who is here in connection with development of the castor industry.

The pictures, advertising the Valley, were shown recnetly before ley, were shown recently before D. C., of the Agricultural Chemical Association.

The public is invited. There is no charge.

Surplus Cotton Use Studied At Meeting

SAN BENITO—Meeting to discuss the use of surplus cotton in the construction of mattresses for distribution among low income families in Cameron county will be held at the city hall here Tuesday at 9 a. m., County Farm Agent Frank C. Brunnemann said Saturday.

Brunnemann said county and city officials, cooperating agencies and land use planning committeemen are to be present to give suggestions in making a plan for conducting this work.

Woman To Contest High Court Order

EDINBURG — Lillie M. Johnstone of Val Verde will file a motion for a re-hearing of her application for a writ of error to the Eastland court of civil appeals in her contest against Hidalgo County officials, who seek to open a road through the front yard of her home, Sid L. Hardin, Edinburg attorney, declared Saturday.

motion for a writ of error was by the state supreme court week.

Apartment House Being Torn Down



The Bollack apartments, one of the Valley's oldest apartment buildings, is shown above being razed by Langford's Midget Mill for salvage. The building is located at Levee and First street, South East.

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BROWNSVILLE — Making way for tomorrow, one of the Valley's oldest apartment buildings is being torn down for salvage by L. Langford at First and Levee streets, SE, here.

The three-story, six-family building, known as Bollack Apartments, was constructed in 1913 by C. W. Winstedt, who had just completed the Merchants National Bank Building here.

A. Wayne Wood, Brownsville, and Dr. Gilberto Cicero, Matamoros, acquired the building during its construction, and Mr. Wood established his residence there for some time. The Joe Bollack family also lived there.

Mr. Wood later sold his interests in the property to Doctor Cicero.

Not being able to compete with modern apartments, the building had only a few tenants in recent years. It finally passed into the hands of the state banking commissioner from whom Mr. Langford purchased it for salvage.

Mr. Langford estimated there are about 100,000 bricks, two carloads of lumber, or about 25,000 feet of lumber in the old building.

Ministers Stumped When Census Men Ask 'Industry' They Are In; Even The Pastors Can Not Classify Their Work

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RAYMONDVILLE — A Willacy census enumerator says clarsifying the minister gives him more misery than making inquiries into any other profession.

Writing the answers is easy enough until he asks: "Are you engaged in public or private industry?" and then comes the question: "In just what industry does the minister engage?"

If according to classification "Public Industry" pertains to the government and includes schools, city, county, state and federal departments; and "Private Industry" pertains to privately owned businesses, individual business and professions, just where does the minister come in?

Well, the minister isn't a salaried man in public work—meaning government; yet he works for the public; and he isn't in private industry for he works for a public institution. On top of this he is a professional man in an individual business and most definitely working with the individual.

Which leaves us just where we came in.

Aldrich To Return Monday From Trip

EDINBURG — Hidalgo County Judge Oliver C. Aldrich is expected to return Monday from an upstate trip on which he is seeking additional sections of flood control rights-of-way in the county.

He left Thursday to visit Houston and San Antonio property owners whose holdings in the county are affected by the International Boundary Commission's construction project. Until the rights-of-way are acquired by the county and turned over to the IBC, flood control construction can not get under way.

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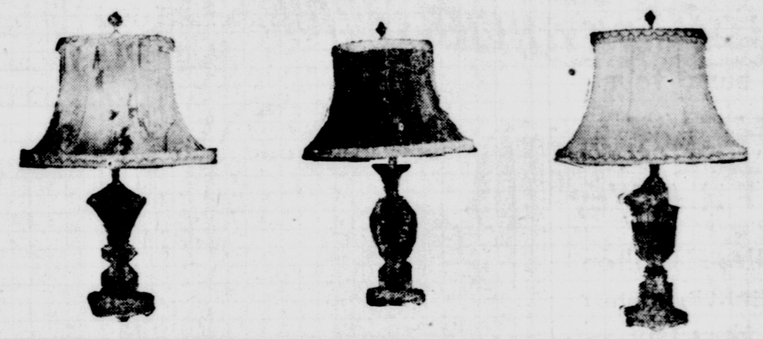
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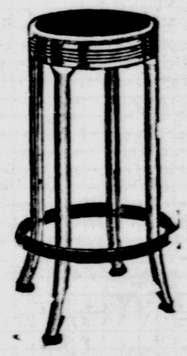


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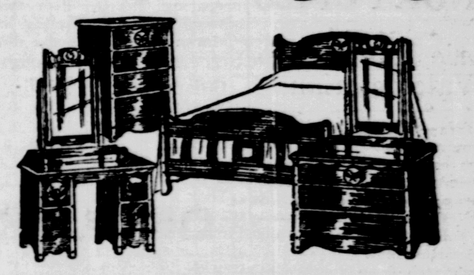
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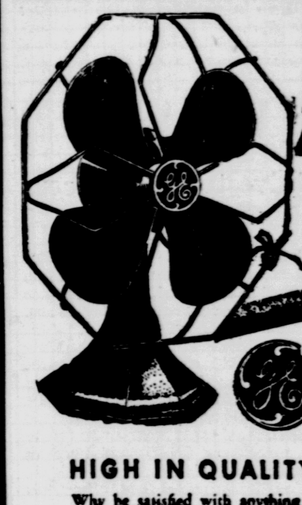
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A.F.L. OPPOSES U. S. ENTERING EUROPE'S WAR

Green Attacks Isms In Address

DALLAS—(AP)—President William Green, the voice of five million members of the American Federation of Labor, Saturday night said the A. F. of L. "is unalterably opposed to any move which might involve the United States in the European war."

Green, speaking on a nation-wide radio broadcast (MBS) in an address before the Southwest Labor Conference, condemned "the hateful teachings and practices of Communism and Nazism," and added the "A. F. of L. takes pride in the fact that we are hated by the enemies of our country."

"Unity Is Imperative"

"National unity is imperatively necessary today not only for the advancement of our material welfare but for the preservation of our American ideals," Green said. "This is the hour of crisis for democracy in the world.

"The dictators of Europe, moving swiftly with brutal aggression, have seized the territory of free and peaceful nations and trampled the rights of their citizens. The twin totalitarian philosophies of Communism and Nazism have just added Finland, Denmark and Norway to their list of victims.

"The end is not yet in sight. Other countries, such as Sweden, Holland and Belgium are living under constant threat of invasion. . . ."

The labor leader, president of the AFL since the death in 1924 of Samuel Gompers, cited "Authentic reports from Europe that overnight Nazi invasion and capture of Norway's key cities was accomplished only with the aid of Norwegian traitors."

Any Traitors?

"That should be a significant object lesson to us. Are there any traitors in this country? What do the American people think of those who praise the policy of Stalin as a 'peace policy' and attack the policy of the United States as imperialistic? . . . "

M'ALLEN HIGH HONOR PUPILS

Marjorie Hamner To Be Valedictorian

McALLEN — Marjorie Hamner led all honor students of the McAllen High School senior class to become valedictorian of the 1940 graduating class, Gladys Linnard was second for the salutatorian honor, while Bill Nolen led the boys in scholastic standings.

Miss Hamner had an average of 96.77 points for two years, Miss Linnard had 95.93 and Nolen 92.62, Principal A. M. Weir announced Saturday.

The girls outclassed the boys for the five top honors. Third high was Mary Frances Lundy with 95.85 points, Alv Lockhart fourth with 94.71. and Alicia Garcia fifth with 94.10.

Gordon Griffin was the second high boy and seventh honor student with 92.42. Ricardo Fuentes was next with 87.05.

The commencement will be held May 21 at the school athletic field, Principal A. M. WWeir announced Saturday.

In order to be eligible the graduating honor roll, students must have been enrilled at the senior high school for two successive years, Weir said.

The two girls with the highest averages will be eligible for scholarships to state colleges. Scholarship forms will be awarded the night of graduation, Weir said. As is customary the high boy will be eligible for a scholarship to some military school in the state.

Principal Weir gave the students their grades for the past two years Friday afternoon. Each student averaged his marks on the blackboard to decide in what position he would be placed on the graduating honor roll. Final approval of the averages was made by Principal Weir.

Richardson Declines College Presidency

ABILENE—(AP)—Dr. Rupert N. Richardson Saturday night declined the presidency of Hardin-Simmons University, oldest co-educational, church related college in West Texas.

The institution's executive vice president was chosen unanimously last Wednesday to succeed the late Dr. J. D. Sandefer. Officers of the board of trustees Saturday had no announcement as to when it would consider appointment of another.

U. S. Settles Suits In Typewriter Case

NEW YORK—(AP)—Assistant U. S. Attorney General Berkeley Henderson Saturday announced the settlement of the government's anti-trust suit against six of the nation's biggest manufacturers of typewriters

Defendants were the Underwood Elliott Fisher Company, of Delaware and New Jersey; the Royal Typewriter of New York, Remington Rand, Inc., of Delaware; L. C. Smith and Corona Typewriters, Inc., of Syracuse, N. Y., and New Jersey and some officers of the firms.

War Shows No Need For Ships' Changes

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—Europe's war has shown that surface ships must be given additional protection against bombs but has not shown any need for radical changes in naval tactics or construction, says Charles A. Edison, secretary of the navy.

NYA Teaches 35 Girls How To Become Efficient Maids



Maria Natividad Espinosa, Virginia Garcia and Maria Artemia Galvan, left to right above, are shown cooking and baking at the NYA maid service school in Brownsville. The cupcakes (coming out of the oven) tested o. k.

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BROWNSVILLE — With an eye to "streamlining" Brownsville's maid service, the NYA center here is offering girls a practical course in household training that ranges from marketing to the care of children.

The objective is to provide better servants here, Mrs. Juanita Curtis, Mercedes, Valley NYA supervisor, declared Saturday.

Prior to the establishing of the NYA school in Brownsville, local girls had no way of gaining household training except by experience.

35 Attend School

There are about 35 girls attending the school, and besides being given the opportunity of vocational training, they are taught to be independent and self-supporting.

The school is unique because it is the only Latin American institution of its type in the United States, and the only purely servant school south of San Antonio.

Phases of homemaking emphasized are: house cleaning, laundering, preparing meals, dish washing, serving meals, marketing, care of children and other home duties.

Paid While Learning

Girls between 18 and 25 years of age are enrolled. They are paid $14.40 a month during the eight-month course of about 60 hours a month. They pay for their own bus fare and lunch.

They are not permitted to quit a regular job to attend the school. There have been instances where girls have quit, and the NYA has refused to accept them.

"Local women need not be worried that the NYA will take any of their servants from them," officials said.

During the course of study, the girls witness an average of three demonstrations by outsiders a week. For example, a soap company representative recently attended in connection with a laundry lesson. This was followed by a trip to a local laundry, and a series of talks and demonstrations on cleaning.

Get Nursing Course

Upon completion of the course, the girls will be given an opportunity to do household work for a week under strict supervision. They will be placed on the approved list of trained domestic servants after this apprenticeship.

Each is required to take a practical course in home nursing and hygiene. None of the girls enrolled will be recommended for employment until after July 1.

Various types of food preparation, formal and informal, for parties, varied social affairs and general meals are being taught. The girls prepare and serve their own noonday meals. English is required to be spoken at the school. White uniforms are worn.

Sponsoring the school are Brownsville club women and civic organizations with each paying a portion of maintenance.

As the girls go to school about only one-third of the time during the month, they are permitted to hold jobs, but are not permitted to quit a regular job to attend.

The girls are required to take the Wasserman, tubercular and other tests, and health and sanitation is stressed throughout the course.

Merchants have been cooperating in loaning modern utilities to help the students gain experience, and have also made cash donations.

There is to be no wage scale set-up upon their graduation. In other words, the girl is to get "what she can make," officials said.

Wins Award

Galveston Engineers Safe Drivers

BROWNSVILLE—The U. S. Engineering Department's Galveston district has won the Gulf of Mexico division's annual safe driving award, it was announced Saturday.

The district's automobiles traveled 1,149,062 miles this past year, and had a safety record of .35.

Wayne Murphy, head of the Brownsville field office of the USED, was sent four plaques to be placed on USED cars here in recognition.

The Brownsville field office has had a perfect record for more than three years.

ANOTHER CRASH

CAMPBELLSBURG, Ky. —(AP)— Twenty-five passengers on a southbound Louisville and Nashville railroad train were shaken up Saturday when the train struck a landslide in a cut near here.

STAMBAUGH TO HEAD SCHOOL

Pharr Superintendent Is Re-Elected

SAN JUAN—J. Lee Stambaugh was re-elected superintendent of the Pharr, San Juan-Alamo schools at the trustees meeting this past week. D. U. Buckner was also elected high school principal.

Others named to the faculty are principals of the grammar schools—Edna Carnahan, Mrs. Mae Tomkins, Ruth Johnson, Mrs. W. A. Napper, Miss Vida Clover and Mrs. Pearl Cramer; teachers, Mrs. Charles Decker, Mrs. M. E. Burkhart, Mrs. Frank Haughton, Mrs. M. D. Price, Dorothy Faye Rusk, Mrs. Bernice Reynolds, Myrna Faris, Mrs. Florence Ellis, Charles Decker, A. Sorensen, Martha McCurdy, Gloria Izaguirre, A. O. Lively, A. V. Peterson, George Leach, Edwin La Grange, Martha Griffith, Ethel Carman, M. R. Smith, Mrs. H. A. Cox, Mrs. Guy Ritchey, Mrs. Ray Brooks, Ruth Griffin, Mrs. O. C. Emery, Margarita Wendel, Christine Crawford, Geraldine Palmer, Lucille Copeland, Ruth Greenfield, Emily Broughton.

Mrs. Ruth Bolling, Daisy Ellen Polk, Louise Ellis, Linden Anderson, Hazel Freking, Mrs. Vida Fields, Doris Ewing, Mrs. Franca Culley, Frances Rosser, Mrs. L. D. Matthews, Nellie Batchelder, Rosalie Russel, Mrs. W. W. White, Lois Wilson, Mrs. Mildred Sapp, Mrs. M. R. Smith, Mrs. Ruby Myers, Mrs. Frances Forvilley, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Ruth Brandenburg, Mrs. Baxter Webb, Mrs. Mary Young, Mrs. Mabel George, Mrs. Gladys Nelson, Edith Carman, Mrs. Rob Everhard, Mrs. Anna V. Adams, Mrs. Bernice Adkins, Mrs. Stella Livingston, Mrs. Lora Geeslin, Mrs. Chris Arnold and Miss Ethel Carman.

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MATTRESSES FOR FARMERS

Plans Will Be Laid At San Benito

SAN BENITO—Representatives of county and city governments, chambers of commerce and farm organizations will meet in San Benito's city hall at 9 a. m. Tuesday to discuss a prospective "free mattress" program for low-income farmers in Cameron county.

Miss Bennie Campbell, College Station, district home demonstration agent for the A. and M. college, will be at the meeting to explain the Federal Surplus Commodity Corporation plan to make cotton and ticking available without charge for qualified farmers.

Carryover Cotton Used

Under the plan, the federal agency intends to turn over a quantity of its carryover cotton to farmers of "low-income" groups, for manufacture into mattresses. The farmers themselves will provide labor, and needles and thread, but the cotton and ticking will be given free by the government.

A "low-income" farmer, under the plan, is defined as one whose total income is less than $400 annually, and of which more than half is derived directly from his farm.

The mattresses would be made by "crews" of five women and three men, under supervision of a county director.

Tried In Zavala

Tried as an experiment in Zavala county three weeks ago, the plan met with such enthusiastic response that demands for similar programs have been spreading like wildfire over the state.

The cotton is made available in allotments of 12 bales at a time, but there is no limit to the total amount that any county may receive. Approximately 50 pounds of cotton are used for each mattress.

Frank C. Brunneman, county agent, and Lu Elsie Nagel, county home demonstration agent, called the Cameron county meeting.

LEAVES GERMANY

NAKSOV, Denmark —(AP)— Arne Scheel, Norwegian minister to Germany, en route home with members of his staff after closing the legation in Berlin on German orders, left Saturday for Copenhagen.

Gainesville Circus Crowd Is Gathering

GAINESVILLE—(AP)—The circus is coming to town—for its eleventh season.

Flags and pennants decorated the streets Saturday as Gainesville planned to welcome thousands of visitors Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, April 24, 25 and 26, for the second annual community circus roundup and homecoming.

DONNA NAMES 1940 FACULTY

All Teachers Are Re-Elected

DONNA — The board of directors of the Donna Independent School District met on Wednesday night, April 17, to elect teachers to positions in Donna schools for the school year of 1940-1941. Every teacher in the entire school system was reelected to his or her position.

Those re-elected in the Elementary school were Gwendolyn Anderson, Sally Weaver, Mrs. B. S. Roberts, Mrs. Mary Turner, Lavetta Huggins, Bernice Cook, Calla Stainke, Nell Moye, Winnie Harris, Stella Flannery, Mrs. Lucille Burch, Buck Henson, Martha Vernon Robinson, Alvin Tracy, and N. R. Jackson, principal.

In the high school and junior high school grades, they were reelected as follows: Mrs. R. C. Alcorn, Lamar Roquemore, W. O. Christiansen, Esther Combs, N. G. Patrick, Vera Kirkpatrick, Jessie Mercer, Lucille Penn, Laura Snyder, Ora Mills, Harmon Porter, Elmer Rollins, Mae Wood, Ivo Schoppe, W. C. Todd and Forrest E. Groves as principal.

In the East Donna schools they were reelected as follows: Lorraine Allen, Mrs. Edith Davison, Martha Evans, B. G. Guzman, Mary Iwai, Mrs. Harvey Klemann, Mrs. Florence Norwood, Melba Phelps, Louvernia Spencer, Mrs. Mary Belle Will, Doris Williams, Winnie Woodrum, Mrs. Jewell Wright, Marie Wahlers, and H. N. Browning, principal.

John Jay, first Chief Justice of the United States, served six years.

OFFICIAL MURDERED

ALEXANDRIA, La.—(AP)—Deputy Sheriff E. C. Brister, about 60, of Alexandria, was shot and killed here Saturday. He was reported attempting to arrest two men.

Texas oilmen last year discovered two-and one-fourth times as much oil as they produced.

Texas FFA Groups At Annual Session

COLLEGE STATION —(AP)— Approximately 3,000 Future Farmers of America gathered at Texas A. and M. College over the weekend for the twenty-third annual Smith-Hughes Day, which will be held at the college Monday.

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	6.50x16	16.95	12.71	11.87	11.02	23.72

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BABY CHICKS ISSUED FOR VALLEY SHOW

McAllen To Sponsor Poultry Congress

McALLEN—Harry Hill, manager of the Valley Poultry Congress and the McAllen Chamber of Commerce have distributed 5,000 baby chicks to 4-H Club boys, Boy Scouts, Future Farmers of America and others. The show will be held here in October.

Funds for distributing 4,000 blooded baby chicks were furnished by the chamber and Hill is furnishing the other 1,000 from his own flock of pedigreed fowls. Hill said he had requests for a total of 6,200 chicks, but had no funds for the additional 1,200.

The show manager is inviting vocational agricultural teachers, 4-H Club members and Boy Scouts who did not get the free chicks to go ahead and exhibit their own pens at the poultry show. He said they could compete for prizes the same as the registered recipients of the 5,000 chicks, provided they kept accurate records, particularly on feed costs.

Hill said reports on the chicks put out three weeks ago were highly satisfactory. He predicted the poultry show this year will be much larger than that held last year under his management and the sponsorship of the McAllen chamber and hatcheries in McAllen and Edinburg.

McAllen C. C. Will Study Building Plan

McALLEN—V. E. Cook, president of the McAllen Chamber of Commerce Saturday called a meeting of the board of directors for Tuesday at 8 p.m. instead of Thursday to discuss proposals for enlarging the chamber building.

Cook said the meeting was set up in order that plans for the expansion might be expected.

Baptists Meet

Valley Has Donna Parley Friday

DONNA—The active workers of the Lower Rio Grande Valley Baptist Association gathered at the First Baptist Church of Donna at 10 a. m. on Friday, April 19. Rev. N. L. Range of the First Baptist church of Donna made the speech of welcome to the audience of approximately 100 persons.

Following the welcome address, came a song and devotional by Nolan Beaird, followed by a very interesting talk by J. W. Mason on "The Place of Evangelism In the Christian's Program." Rev. E. V. May then spoke on "New Testament Baptism;" announcements were made, and an offering was taken. At 11:15 Miss Betty Anderson, a local high school girl, sang a vocal solo, followed by the sermon by Rev. H. B. Ramsey. After closing prayers and fellowship worship, the women of the Baptist church of Donna served a delicious luncheon in the church annex. After an hour of eating and chatting Rev. Raymond Bailey opened the afternoon session with a song and devotional.

Before the adjurnment C. S. McKinney, chairman of the board, presided over an important business meeting.

Five Handed Fines In Justice Courts

EDINBURG—Five persons were fined in various justice courts of the county the past week in which Assistant District Attorney Hollis Rankin prosecuted for the state, he announced Saturday.

A. A. Frase of Donna was fined $25 and costs, a total of $34, by Justice of the Peace H. L. O'Neil of Donna for violating the state farm auto license statute. O. H. Heflin was fined $25 and costs, a total of $43, in the same court on a peace disturbance charge, and $10 and costs, a total of $21, for being drunk.

Dewitt Jones of Edinburg was fined $1 and costs, a total of $23, for peace disturbance, in a jury trial before Justice J. Loy Ramsour of Edinburg. Before Judge T. Holl Spilman at Mission, A. Pena was fined $1 and costs for being drunk. At Mercedes, Justice of the Peace T. J. Fikes, Sr., fined Arturo Rodriguez $5 and costs for being drunk.

Need Of Band Is Stressed At Donna

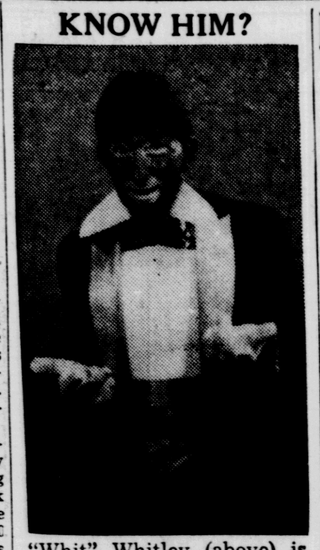
DONNA—Emphasizing the value of a large band in the cultivation of community musical taste, Leon Graham, local school principal, was speaker here Thursday night at a banquet for the Redskin Band, given by the Lions and Rotary cluubs of Donna.

Program for the band dinner, where Superinttndent of Schools A. B. Sanders presided, included Harry Schreiber, stunt shooting; Virginia Ann Henry, talk on marionettes; accordion selections by Miss Shirley Goldberg, Mercedes, with Miss Ruth Anderson at the piano.

Program committee include Harry Schreiber, Orval Stites, Cedric Wood and George Wheelock. The dinner was served by members of the Band Mothers Club. The 21 members of the band were introduced by Nelson Patrick, director. The band won 21 first places in the recent state meet.

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"Whit" Whitley (above) is director and black face end man for the Harlingen Volunteer Fire Department Minstrel Show to be staged at the Harlingen Municipal Auditorium May 7. Whitley will be joined by such local comedians as Joe Junkin, W. C. Black, Fred Newland, Chic Horton, Happy Henderson, and Harry Cook of Raymondville.

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FIREMEN PUSH MINSTREL HERE

Rehearsals Held For May 7 Show

HARLINGEN — Director B. D. Whitley said Saturday that rehearsals for the minstel show to be staged at the municipal auditorium here by the volunteer fire department May 7 indicated "fine progress," and announced the show had secured Harry Cook of Raymondville, for his celebrated black face monologue, "The Gentleman From Georgia."

Whitley said "The Gentleman From Georgia," which has been presented on several occasions over the Valley, "is a scream." Other black face comedians include Whitley, Joe Junkin, W. C. Black, Fred Newland, C. E. Henderson and Chic Horton.

Part of the entertainment will be the Harlingen Harmony Trio, composed of Misses Ivey Boone, Dorothy Godfrey and Nora Jordan; a sextet of girls from the Harlingen high school under direction of Mrs. Elizabeth Medley, Mr. and Mrs. Simpson of San Benito, and others.

Boys Injured

Car, Bicycle Crash Held Accidental

McALLEN — Eight-year-old Jack Clemons and three-year-old Bobby Bishop, were reported improving at City Hospital Saturday where they were confined Friday night suffering with injuries they received when unavoidably struck by an automobile driven by Sam Bizzell.

City police officers who investigated the accident occurring on North Nineteenth street at Fir avenue, said it was impossible for Bazzell to avoid hitting the children, who were riding a bicycle pulling a trailer.

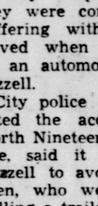
Investigating officers said Bazzell had turned his car to avoid striking another youth when the Clemons' lad drove almost in front of the car. Bazzell took both children to City Hospital.

A. J. McColl, who suffered severe throat gashes and a fractured hip and leg in an automobile accident Thursday night, was reported to be in serious condition at City Hospital Saturday.

Harlingen Courts Active Saturday

HARLINGEN—Four fines, two of them for traffic violations, were assessed in Harlingen courts Saturday. In precinct court, Judge Menton Murray fined Ben Drews $1 and costs on spetding charge filed by State Highway Patrolman R. L. Wood.

In corporation court, Judge Murray fined Jesus Villarreal $3 on charge of failing to yield the right-of-way, filed by State Highway Patrolman W. M. Miller. Gregorio Renteria was fined $1 on charge of peddling without a health certificate, and Antone Pabliska was fined $15 on vagrancy charge, both charges being filed by City Officer Harold Crossett.

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DR. C. M. CASH GIVEN HONORS

Plaque For Service Is Given Doctor

SAN BENITO — Dr. C. M. Cash, pioneer San Benito physician, was presented with a plaque by local Rotarians, Lions and Kiwanians at a joint meeting Friday at the Stonewall Jackson Hotel in recognition of his many years of public service.

The occasion was Dr. Cash's birthday. The bronze plaque was inscribed with a message of appreciation from the people of San Benito.

George A. Toolan gave a toast to Dr. Cash and Jesse A. Welch, Jr., one of the hundreds of children delivered here by the veteran physician, also gave a toast.

A double quartet of men's voices directed by Mrs. James D. Ward sang "Home on the Range" and "Swing Low Sweet Chariot," dedicated to Dr. Cash.

Louis S. Witte, new mayor of San Benito, poke briefly.

Members of the city commission and both the old and new board of directors of the chamber of commerce were introduced.

SPEAKER NAMED

WACO—(AP)—President Pat M. Neff of Baylor University announced Saturday that Hubert M. Harrison, Baylor graduate of 1909 and now vice president and general manager of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, will be the institution's commencement speaker June 3.

'What A Life' Promises Night Full Of Laughter

Valley Little Theatre To Stage Comedy At Edinburg Monday Night

McALLEN — An assortment of mirth provoking teachers, students and parents promise an evening full of laughter for those who attend the Little Theatre play, "What a Life," Monday night at the Edinburg Junior College auditorium.

The youngsters in the play prove that love's young dream can be a lot of fun to everyone but the victims and jerk on memory's strings to remind a lot of people about their high school days.

The story of "What a Life" centers around adolescents but it is not for youngsters, alone, to enjoy as its long run on Broadway recently testified. Last season the play was the "great white way's" smash hit and the New York critics were unanimous in their praise of the comedy.

"The play became available to amateurs only about two weeks ago, "Director Paul Moore said, the Valley Little Theatre group will be among the first, if not the first, amateur group in the U. S. to stage this play."

Members of the cast are Drew Reid Handley, Chesna Dillinger, Howard Tewell, Mrs. Ruth Owings, E. P. Lillard, Dr. and Mrs. Elliott, Francis Wood, Marvin Downs, Fred Pierce, Gwendolyn Crawford, Henry Barton, L. Atwood, Ruth Griffin, and Louise Forrest.

E. P. Lillard as Professor Bradley is "side-splitting," according to Director Moore's description of the play. Chesna Dillinger, he said, is a stage find who can go from tragedy to comedy in a split second.

McAllen Man Hurt In Auto Accident

PHARR — Gilbert Hartman, 44, McAllen, sustained bruises in a three-way auto accident between Pharr and San Juan at 4 p.m. Saturday.

Hartman's car, going west, was in collision with a truck driven by John Rutosky, 46, San Juan, then hit a parked car owned by F. V. Seuage, who lives north of Alamo. The mishap occurred in front of the Haggard auction shed.

Those involved in the collision are to appear in Justice of the Peace R .L. Savage's court at San Juan Monday morning. Investigating officers were State Patrolmen Ed Heare and Clint Mussey.

GOOLSBY VISITS

HARLINGEN—Sheriff Art Goolsby was a caller in Harlingen Saturday afternoon.

MODEL PLANE GROUP FORMS

Harlingen Meet Is Set For April 28

HARLINGEN — Boys and young men interested in gas model airplanes will meet at the city hall here Sunday, April 28, at 2 p. m to discuss organization of a Rio Grande Valley Gas Model Association, according to an announcement Saturday.

An officer from Randolph Field, San Antonio, will be principal speaker, according to the information. The association is sought to bring together the various model plane clubs over the Valley, to stage exhibitions and meets at regular intervals, and allied aims.

Local model builders said 75 men and boys would be present, but that as many as possible were desired at the meeting to start the move off with Valley-wide representation. Officers will be elected for the association.

Donna Lions Induct

DONNA—A. B. Sanders, retiring president, Orval Stites, the new president, of the local club, Cedric Wood, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Washburn, returned on Wednesday from San Antonio where they went to attend the district convention of Rotary.

VISIT IN ALAMO

ALAMO—Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Newman of Houston are spending the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Drennan.

Pan American Man Writes Story On Area In Magazine

BROWNSVILLE—The importance of Brownsville as an international aerial gateway is emphasized in the April issue of "The Express Messenger" published in New York.

The article was written by Ted C. Pelikan of Pan American Airways traffic department.

Vast trans-shipments of air express here between the Americas, ranging from orchids and the latest in clothes to "perishable" newsreels, were described.

Accompanying the article is a photograph of Henry Barreda, Railway Express driver of Brownsville, and Edward Hudak, PAA expressman, standing beside one of the huge shipmnets.

Physicians' Society Convenes In McAllen

McALLEN—Members of the Hidalgo and Starr Counties Medical Association met for dinner Thursday night at the Casa de Palmas Hotel, Dr. U. S. Marshall of Weslaco, assistant secretary, said Saturday.

Plans for definite medical aid to eradicate infant diarrhea, so prevalent in the Valley, were made, he said.

LUBBOCK WINS MEET

SAN ANGELO — (AP) — Lubbock was chosen as the site for their 1941 meeting by Texas Academy of Science members who concluded a two-day regional convention here Saturday. Ailene will be host to the 1942 meet.

CANTU SEEKS COURT ORDER

Washington Bench Is Asked For Writ

EDINBURG — A petition for a writ of certiorari to seek the release of Guadalupe Cantu, McAllen grocer serving a 25-year penitentiary term for the slaying of his wife, Narcisa, is being filed with the supreme court of the United States, Sid Hardin, Edinburg attorney, announced Saturday.

Hardin said an early decision is expected because Cantu has begun serving his sentence.

The appeal is based upon allegations that Cantu is being deprived of his liberty without due process of law in violation of the 14th amendment to the federal constitution. In support of the appeal, the testimony of Joe Capa, assistant district attorney, is being relied upon, Hardin said. Capa testified during the trial to a "long and gruelling examination of Cantu in Mercedes the day of his arrest," the attorney said.

Hospital Reports Death Of Trio

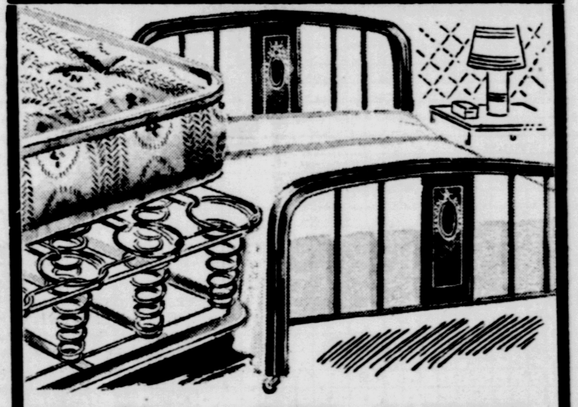
EDINBURG—The deaths of Jose Gonzalez of Alamo, Marcelino Rivera of Edinburg, and infant Anastacio Leyra of Donna were announced Saturday at County-City hospital here. They had been admitted as medical patients during the past week.

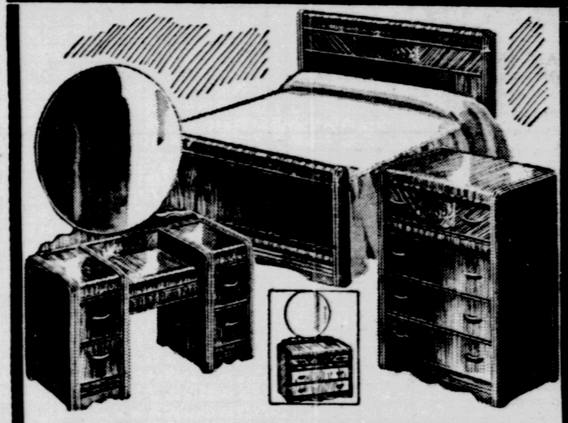
Also admitted at the hospital was Mrs. Bill Robinson of Edinburg.

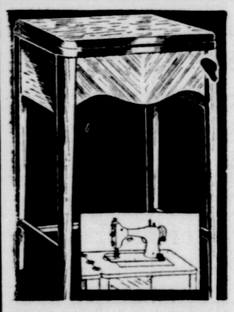
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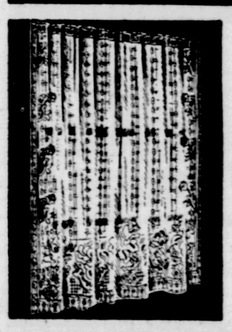
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Forty-Two Valley Scout Patrols Win Highest Honors At 1940 Camporee At McAllen



View of Boy Scouts wielding hatchets at the string-burning contest, one of many at the Saturday Camporee at McAllen. Two dozen boys raced against time to cut wood, build fires, and burn in two strings attached to the posts seen here.



View of the general assembly Saturday afternoon at the Boy Scout Camp at McAllen. Looking from the control tower, the picture shows some of the pitched tents in the background.



Above is Jimmy Suttle, Troop 75, McAllen, official bugler for the Boy Scout Camp at McAllen.



View of some of the Scouts of the Boy Scout Camporee held Saturday at McAllen, as they waited in "bull pens" for instructions concerning coming contests, ranging from knot-tying to wall scaling.



Arnold Dreyer, Jr., right above, was chief errand boy for the Saturday Scout Camporee at McAllen. Here he takes a message from George Linn, Scoutmaster Troop 75, McAllen, while Cecil Robinson, McAllen, center, a Camporee official, looks on.



The boy with the bandage is John Evraets, Troop 45, Edinburg, one of the Camporee's first casualties, who hurt his nose when he fell against a scaling wall brace. Checking over him is R. J. Bud Bohner, Scoutmaster for Troop 26, San Benito, camp doctor.



Eight leaders who aided in direction of the Camporee at McAllen Saturday are shown here. Front row, left to right, they are George Linn, John Boeye and Warren Davis; rear row, Joe Thomas, Joe LeBow, Paul Hallock, George Chapapas and James Westbrook.

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McALLEN — Forty-two patrols from troops in nine Rio Grande Valley cities won rating as "standard" — the highest available — when awards were announced here late Saturday to bring to a close the 1940 camporee of Valley Boy Scouts. A total of 56 patrols with 420 members registered for the event.

Brownsville led the list of standard patrols with nine. Mission ranked second with seven, McAllen was third with six and Sharyland, Edinburg, Weslaco and Harlingen figured in a four-way tie for fourth honors. San Benito was fifth with three and Mercedes sixth with one.

In addition to the standard patrols, seven were winners of star patrol ratings, four won triangle patrol honors and two were listed as participating patrols.

John Boeye of McAllen, general director of the camporee, was told by scout leaders that the McAllen encampment, which opened Friday night and came to a close before dusk Saturday, was one of the smoothest-working and most successful ever held in the Valley. Registrations above the 400 mark are considered above average in the Valley.

Patrols which won standard ratings are as follows:

McAllen, Tiger and Beaver patrols of Troop 63, Lion patrol of Troop 75, Wolf, Flying Eagle and Beaver patrols of Troop 75, and Bob White patrol of Troop 12; Sharyland, Black Cat, Blazing Arrow, Flying Eagle and Covered Wagon patrols of Troop 55; San Benito, Eagle, Black 13, and Bull patrols of Troop 26; Edinburg, Fox and Black Eagle patrols of Troop 3.

Star rank went to: Indian patrol, Troop 13, McAllen; Indian patrol, Troop 18, Mission; Flaming Arrow patrol, Troop 17, Mercedes; Wolf patrol, Troop 1, Edinburg; Beaver patrol, Troop 9, Harlingen; Wolf patrol, Troop 24, Pharr; and Patrol Two, Troop 69, San Benito.

Triangle patrols were as follows: Lion patrol, Troop 66, McAllen; Dan Beard patrol, Troop 24, Pharr; Patrol Three, Troop 4, Donna; and Patrol One, Troop 69, San Benito.

Participating patrols were Blazing Arrow, Troop 13, McAllen; and Flying Eagle, Troop 1, Edinburg.

Few injuries marked the camporee, in spite of the variety of contests that were staged throughout the day Saturday. Among the casualties were John Everats, Troop 45, Edinburg, cut between the eyes when he fell on the scaling board; Bobby Davis Stovall, Harlingen, left arm strained; Joe Matey, Troop 4, Donna, nail in foot; and Jimmy Larson, Troop 75, McAllen, cut on finger.

Valley scout council executives who attended the camporee included Arnold Dreyer, Mercedes, Valley scout executive; Ralph Reagor, Mercedes, assistant; Bob Moody, Jr., McAllen, assistant; and E. I. Vredenburgh, New York City, assistant national director of health and safety for the Boy Scouts of America.

Assisting Boeye as general director were about two score members of the McAllen Kiwanis club, which officially sponsored the camporee. On the staff were Joe Thomas, check-in chairman; Joe LeBow, campfire director; George Linn, campcraft director; Warren Davis, contest director; George Chapapas, campmaster; Paul Hallock, grounds chairman and contest judge; and a number of others.

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JULY FOURTH FUNDS DRIVE DUE MONDAY

McAllen Legion Men Seek $2,500

McALLEN—The annual Fourth of July fund-raising campaign is scheduled to start in McAllen Monday with almost 100 businessmen already pledged to pay the same amount this year as they did last.

General Chairman George Chapapas completed arrangements Saturday for the campaign which is expected to raise a total of $2,500 in advance subscriptions to insure the celebration measuring up to the standard set in McAllen during past years.

The American Legion post annually stages the celebration and provides the man power as well as contributing to the financial drive.

Chapapas asked his fellow citizens not to "put off" the solicitors but to be ready to give their checks when the collectors visit them Tuesday or Wednesday.

It was pointed out that nobody likes to collect money and that the men doing the collecting are as busy as other McAllen citizens and are sacrificing their time to collect the funds as well as pay their share.

BAIL DENIED 2 IN SLAYING

Pair Bound Over In Brown's Death

BROWNSVILLE — Emeterio Chasco Corona and Isador Cruz were bound over to federal grand jury action, without bail, in connection with the slaying the first of this month of U. S. Customs Patrol Inspector Joseph T. Brown, U. S. Commissioner Carlos G. Watson said at Brownsville Saturday.

Final hearing before the federal commissioner was held Friday.

Chasco Corona was represented by R. B. Rentfro, Jr., and O. B. Garcia, Brownsville attorneys appointed by the court. As Cruz is a Mexican citizen, his case has been referred to the Mexican consul, consul, Commissioner Watson said. and Reynaldo Garza, counsel for the Mexican consulate here, probably will represent him.

Cruz was placed in Cameron county jail. Chasco Corona was returned to Mercy Hospital where he has been for some time as a result of wounds received during the gun battle in which the customs patrolman was fatally wounded.

In addition to the murder charges, each of the two men has been charged with assault in connection with the wounding of U. S. Customs Patrol Inspector C. B. Sills, and charges also with receiving and concealing smuggled merchandise. Bond of $2,500 was set in the assault charge and $1,000 in the smuggling charge.

Maximiliano Garcia, charged with Chasco Corona and Cruz in connection with the smuggling case, also is in Cameron county jail.

Aviation Topic

Open Forum Slated In Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE — "Aviation Today," will be the topic Monday at 8 p.m. of the Brownsville Open Forum in Room 224 of the Junior college here.

Principal speaker will be Guy Bevil of Pan American Airways traffic department, who was one of the officials last year at PAA's San Francisco Golden Gate Exposition.

Needs of the Brownsville airport to keep pace with the air transport industry will also be discussed at the session.

Presiding will be Fred J. Khouri of the Brownsville Junior college-high school faculty.

Sailing Contest Scheduled Sunday

PORT ISABEL — Spring is here, and if you don't believe it just ask the Valley's yachtsmen.

A Valley-wide meeting of the Laguna Sailing Club is to be held at the Moonlight pavilion here Sunday at 1 p.m., R. W. Pitts, Brownsville, skipper, announced Saturday.

First meeting of the season, the Laguna yachtsmen are to make plans for the summer, discuss trophy races, cruises, boat handicaps and a permanent club mooring basin.

Danes Claim Ships Have Free Sailing

NEW YORK—(AP)—Denmark doggedly maintained Saturday that its 700-ship merchant fleet is entitled to sail the seas unmolested by the Allies, and cited international law to back its stand.

The Danish shipping committee, which has studied the problem since Germany's invasion of the little Scandinavian county on April 9, declared it could not recognize the validity, "under international law," of the British contention that Danish vessels are prizes of war and subject to seizure.

Corpus Water Bond Decision Reversed

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The federal appellate court Saturday reversed judgment of $58,155 interest awarded by a Texas court to holders of almost $2,000,000 worth of water system revenue bonds issued by the city of Corpus Christi and ordered the suit dismissed.

O'Daniel Is Invited To July Fourth Fete

McALLEN — Governor W. Lee O'Daniel has been invited by the McAllen Fourth of July Celebration committee to be the principal speaker at the patriotic observance this year, George Chapapas, general chairman, announced Saturday.

The letter sent to the governor follows:

"McAllen Civic Enterprises Incorporated, the McAllen post of the American Legion and this community in general would like for you to be the main speaker at the Fourth of July celebration to be held in McAllen.

"This Celebration has become traditional and attracts an unusually large attendance from throughout the Valley and South Texas. It is estimated that there should be 50,000 people here this year. Due to the proximity to Mexico and the friendly relationship which exists with the Mexican officials, this occasion has assumed a somewhat international aspect, and again this year Mexican state and federal officials will participate here.

"It is appreciated that you are an extremely busy man but it is hoped that you will find it possible to be in McAllen as guest of honor for the celebration on July 4. It is understood, and in fact would be insisted upon, that you shall not be allowed to stand any expense in going or coming or while you are here, but that you are to be entirely the guest of the celezration."

SCHOOL PLANS MAY DAY FETE

Travis Students To Present Pageant

By TOM W. STARKEY

HARLINGEN—The annual May Day exercises presented by the Travis school student body will be held on the campus May 1 beginning at 5:45 p.m., according to announcement by W. C. Black, principal and director.

The 1940 May Day theme will center on the legends connected with the more than 300 wild flowers of Texas. Many of the state's flowers will be represented by colorful costumes, and the drama of spring's coming, and the awakening of the flowers will be portrayed by some 300 pupils of the school.

Elected queen and king of the May Fete in recent student balloting were Norma Clark and Billy Jack McKeand.

Many To Participate

Augmenting and preceding the spring flower legends on the program will be music by the band and the glee club of 85 voices. Black said 75 per cent of the student body will take part in the elaborate show.

Princesses elected by the pupils are Mardelle Anglin, Betty Lou Bupp, Delores Dureson, Olga Garcia, Billy Marie Means, Dorothy Jean Torbett, Gloria Gene Wood, Princes are Jimmy Burkhalter, Bus Pat Hough, Billy Mitcham, Jerry O'borne, Arnulfo Suarez, Merle Weaver and Bob Wood.

Characters Are Named

Among the leading characters who have been picked, Black said, D. M. Denton, Jr., would act as Texas; Barbara Macy as Spring; Marion Greenwood as Blue Bonnet Herald. Herald, chancellor and announcers are yet to be chosen.

The May Day coronation and pageant is the culmination of the school year's extra-curricular work at Travis school, Black said, and named it tops on the list of social events there. Grandstand seats from the rodeo grounds will be secured for spectators. The pageant will be laid against the green shrubbery background of the campus, carried out by representative pupils chosen by students.

FRAT FIRE FOUGHT

AUSTIN—(AP)—Fire of undetermined origin caused considerable damage at the Kappa Alpha Fraternity house at the University of Texas Saturday.

Books Wanted

No-Name Club Pushes Harlingen Drive

HARLINGEN — The Harlingen No-Name club Saturday issued a call for used books, in connection with its collecting project for benefit of the Harlingen Public Library.

Officers said the nucleus of a collection to be given to the public library had been gathered, but that all the used books, on virtually any subject, would be appreciated.

Owners of second-hand books in such fields as fiction, non-fiction, magazines or textbooks or children's books, will be gathered by members of the club at designated intervals at the homes. Books or magazines may also be left at the Delta Office Supply, Hertz Style Shop, Central Power and Light, C. R. Anthony Company, or McClendon's Grocery Store.

Canvass of the city will also be made in connection with the drive for books, officers said, to realize the greatest possible number of volumes for the library.

Racing Pigeon Sets New Course Record

TORRINTON, Conn.—(AP)—A racing pigeon owned by Charles Albrecht and John Fox of Torrinton was liberated in Port Huron, Mich., on June 4, 1937, for a 500-mile race to this city.

It arrived here Friday, still wearing its racing tag—number 3,366.

TCU ALUMNI MEET MONDAY

Kenneth Hay Will Speak Here



KENNETH HAY

HARLINGEN—Kenneth M. Hay, alumni secretary of Texas Christian University, has called a meeting of all alumni and ex-students of TCU to be held in the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel at 7:30 Monday evening, April 22.

This meeting is for the purpose of organizing a Rio Grande Valley chapter of the State Alumni Association.

Any person who has attended Texas Christian University for as much as one semester or who has an honorary degree or any official connection with the school is eligible for membership. Husbands and wives of members are invited as associate members.

This will be a Valley-wide organization and it is expected that the plan will meet with the enthusiastic approval of every TCU ex in this area. Twelve such groups have been organized during the past six months under Mr. Hay's leadership. He may be reached at the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel if any information is desired.

Mr. Hay, who is himself an alumnus of TCU and a graduate of Brite College of the Bible, the Seminary affiliated with TCU, will preach at the morning service of the Central Christian Church, Brownsville, and at the evening service of the First Christian Church of Harlingen.

ASSOCIATION MEETS

HARLINGEN—The Stuart Place Citrus Association will hold regular meeting Tuesday night at the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel.

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Farm Students Of Iowa Will Return To Valley

McALLEN — Iowa agricultural students have taken a liking to McAllen and the Rio Grande Valley.

The McAllen Chamber of Commerce Saturday received word that Iowa A. and M. College boys will again make this city their headquarters while visiting the Valley this summer.

C. S. Dorchester, instructor in animal husbandry and farming at the college, said he, an assistant professor, and 26 students would arrive here July 3. They will stay at Samson's Orange Courts.

Farm inspection trips for the visitors will be arranged by the McAllen chamber and County Agent R. G. Burwell. Dorchester told McAllen chamber officials last year they were always treated so well in McAllen he expected the field course to select this city as a permanent headquarters while in South Texas.

AUSTIN —(AP)— Funeral services were planned Saturday for George Mendell, Jr., 67, prominent Austin attorney and former member of the Texas Legislature who died Friday.

Japan, U. S. Agree On Islands' Status

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Kensuke Horinouchi, the Japanese ambassador, said after nearly an hour's conference with Secretary Hull Saturday that the United States and Japan were in substantial agreement as to the future status of the Dutch East Indies.

He added that both governments, along with The Netherlands, the Islands' mother country, "want to maintain the status quo."

VALLEY TRUCK CASES OUSTED

Ten Are Dismissed In Bexar Court

EDINBURG—Ten cases involving violation of the Texas truck load limit law were dismissed in Bexar county court the past week on the basis of the recent test case decision on the validity of the complaints used by the state department of public safety in overload truck cases, according to Sid L. Hardin, Edinburg attorney.

All of the Bexar county case defendants were Hidalgo county truckers who were charged with operating overloaded fruit and vegetable trucks in Bexar county while en route from Hidalgo county to market.

City Manager Not Counted In Census

HICKORY, N. C.—(AP)—One hundred persons reported to the chamber of commerce here overlooked by census takers.

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Two Sick Brothers Accepted By Army

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Airlines, Buses And Trucks Growing

By ROGER BABSON

NEW YORK CITY—Only reorganization of the railroads' capital set-up and policies can prevent the air lines, buses, and trucks from eventually making nearly one-half the railroad mileage useless. For that reason, I believe the Wheeler-Lea Bill, or some similar friendly legislation should be pushed through this session of Congress. The railroads should be unshackled to give them an even break in their life and death battle with other carriers.

The railroads are the nation's second biggest taxpayers, biggest customers, and biggest investment. If the railroads could get back on their feet, they could provide thousands of new jobs, put millions of dollars in investors' pockets and give business a tremendous hypodermic. Today, hampered by I. C. C. regulations, top-heavy capitalization, short-sighted labor leaders, and antiquated rate schedules, the railroads are being battered into a pulp by their aggressive competitors. Pullman traffic is going to the air lines; coach traffic to the busses; lucrative freight and express business to the trucks.

Air Line Load Double

I have no particular love for the railroads, but I hate to see a 20-billion-dollar industry die; I hate to see a million-dollar-a-day taxpayer sandbagged; I hate to see an employer of a million men hog-tied. But that is exactly what is happening every minute. In the last two years, the air lines more than doubled their passenger load. Their rates are dropping steadily;—now are on even terms with Pullman rates on many a jump. Like the railroads, they are soon to segregate their mail, express, and passenger business. A year or two more and we will see freight trains of the air! This is the subrosa idea for using the thousands of military airplanes which, after the European war, will be available for commercial purposes.

The planes are great time-savers. Their safety record gets better every year,—actually beat the railroads in 1939. They are clean and comfortable; give wonderful service; every passenger is king. The railroads have improved in this respect, but are still far behind the air lines. They need new blood, younger personnel, men trained in public relations. Instead of disagreeable ticket agents, cold and impersonal train crews, they need employees who like making passengers and shippers comfortable and happy. The colored porters come closer to filling the bill than the high-paid conductors!

More Streamliners Needed

The roads must put on more stream-lined equipment—not on a few runs—but on many runs. Pullman rates must be slashed drastically, perhaps eventually eliminated. Running time must be continually speeded up. Duplicate runs must be stopped—trains pooled, branch lines eliminated. Freight rates must be flexible—quick to drop when competition threatens. Differentials in the South must be wiped out. Trucks cannot possibly haul heavy freight as cheaply and efficiently as the railroads if the carriers really want to compete.

Chief difficulties of the railroads are fourfold: (1) I. C. C. regulation. (2) Top-heavy capitalization. (3) Job-holding managements. (4) Unfair labor unions. Of these, Problem Number Two seems most urgent. Thirty per cent of the nation's mileage is in receivership—some of it has been there for nearly 10 years. Thirty per cent more has been one jump ahead of the sheriff for a similar length of time. A railroad in receivership is not my idea of sales appeal nor good advertising, either for freight or passengers. Certainly it does not help the bondholder nor the stockholder.

Receivership Racket

Receiverships do, of course, provide big fat salaries for lawyers, insiders, and receivers. The latter actually have more power in running a road in receivership than the president and board of directors had when the road was solvent. These fellows stall and connive to prevent reorganization. When a railroad comes out of a receivership they naturally lose their jobs. Final plans were just announced, for instance, for the Minneapolis and St. Louis which had been in receivership since 1923—nearly 20 years.

Under such circumstances, security-holders lose hope that the road will ever be reorganized. Hence, they sell their defaulted securities at enormous losses—far below their intrinsic value. Meanwhile, the receivers, lawyers, bondholders' committees, all suck the blood out of the road. Solvent, but sick, roads are in the same boat. They try desperately to keep out of receivership. They are forced to scrimp and cut corners to meet their bond interest. Their locomotives and cars wear out. They cannot afford to buy new equipment, to cut rates, to meet competition.

Wholesale Reorganization Needed

The best thing in the world for the railroads—and that means for every honest person connected with them—would be a sane, wholesale reorganization plan as proposed in the Wheeler-Lea Bill. No securities need to be junked. Junior bonds could be put on an income basis. Preferred and common stocks need not be wiped out. They could buy new equipment right and left. They would provide thousands of new jobs in car shops, textile mills, steel foundries, ore mines, lumber camps. And they would keep on paying taxes! Of course, Problem Number One—Regulation—must be attacked at the same time. The carriers must be given more freedom to run their business as they think wise. Once, when the railroads had a monopoly on transportation, I. C. C. regulations were necessary. Today, however, with airplane, bus, and truck competition, many of the I. C. C. regulations are harming both the public and the shippers.

If the roads win their battle, their employees and bondholders—perhaps even stockholders—may win. As it is now, they are a cinch to lose. If the Wheeler-Lea Bill is not just right, government, management, labor, and security-holders should be able to find some other working arrangement which could solve the problem. Certainly, we ought not to sit by and see all connected with the railroads—worker, tax collector, investor—get an unnecessary licking! The time has come when the Golden Rule should be applied to all interests. Discrimination is a cardinal sin!

Valley Wildcat Tests Holding Oil Interest

Discovery Wells To Attract Wide Attention

McALLEN — Production tests in two important deep Lower Rio Grande Valley wildcats will attract wide attention during the early part of the coming week.

In central Hidalgo County about 3,500 feet northeast of the San Salvador distillate field discovery, plugs will be drilled out prior to gun-perforating for production test in Gulf States Oil Co. No. 2 Josefa Cardenas, Share 156, San Salvador del Tule Grant. The hole was bottomed at 8,704 feet, but operators were unable to recover the last 70 feet of drill stem, collar and bit. Oil string ,7-inch o.d.) was cemented at 8,622 feet after electrical survey was run, and casing will be perforated for production test of some of the deep sands. Little information has been released concerning production possibilities of sands below 7,800 feet in the hole. Down to that depth, it was reported that the regular San Salvador and La Blanca sands had been cored, as expected. The high-pressure gas sand at 8,704 feet, which drillers unexpectedly topped, threatened a blowout for 24 hours that caused the stuck drill stem.

High Pressure Gas

In southeastern Cameron county about six miles south of Port Isabel, Pure Oil Company No. 1 Garcia Land and Cattle Company, was to drill cement plugs in 8 5-8-inch o.d. protection string cemented at 8,303 feet. Operators cemented the long string because of high-pressure gas and salt water sands picked up in previous holes around 8,400 to 8,500 feet and expect to handle the pressure with the protection of the heavy casing string. The well is scheduled for 10,000 feet or deeper if the high-pressure sands can be controlled.

In northeastern Starr county, Sun Oil Company continued production test in its No. 1 Encarnacion Rodriguez, west part of Santa Teresa Grant and five miles north of the Sun Field. The well continued to make an estimated 175 to 200 barrels of salt water and 500,000 to 600,000 cubic feet of gas daily on 1-3-inch tubing choke with 1,800 pounds tubing working pressure and 2,200 pounds closed-in casing pressure. Production was from an important new deep sand in which casing had been gun-perforated with a total of 30 shots at 6,441-44 feet and 6,435-39 feet. Production string had been cemented at 6,460 feet after the hole was bottomed at 7,507 feet.

Several miles west and a little south of the Sun Field in northeastern Starr, Sun Oil No. 1 W. G. Lehr, Survey 513, started coring again at 5,123 feet after being shut down for several days for boiler repairs. It was reported that 1,300 feet of salt water was recovered on 15-minute drill stem test of sand cored at 5,030-55 feet.

In western Starr, R. C. Hillman's No. 1 Gonzales Heirs, Share 232, Por. 69, Mier Jurisdiction, was still fishing for a cone lost from a rock bit at total depth of 3,915 feet. Operators reported an oil sand cored around 3,640-53 feet but recovered only a few inches of the sand, which was reported to be in the Queen City.

NEW PRODUCERS IN THREE PROVEN FIELDS REPORTED

McALLEN — New producers in the Kelsey, Colorado and Rincon fields in Jim Higg, Brooks and Starr counties featured developments in proven Lower Rio Grande Valley fields Saturday.

In the Rincon field, W. R. Davis and Company completed one new producer and three others were making production tests. Three more wells in the field were drilling.

The new producer was Davis and Company No. B-15 Slick state, Survey 266, on the west edge of the field. It gauged 120 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with 350 pounds tubing working pressure and 550 pounds closed-in casing pressure through casing perforations (20 shots) at 4,248-54 feet.

Tests Under Way

Production tests were under way in four new wells in the area.

Davis and Company No. B-13 Slick Estate, Survey 266, had production test under way once more in the lower sand. The hole was bottomed at 4,236 feet after sand had been cored at 4,232-36 feet and 7-inch o.d. oil string was cemented at 4,232 feet. The well originally showed gas and a little distillate from the lower sand, and operators plugged back and tested three other sands between 3,700 feet and 4,000 feet. A short screen had been set on bottom in the well and new test was under way Saturday.

Also in Survey 266, Davis and Company No. B-17 Slick Estate was testing through casing perforations at 4,251-59 feet after the well had been bottomed at that depth and 5 1-2 inch o.d. casing cemented atop the sand.

Casing Gun Perforated

Davis and Company No. B-19 Slick Estate, Survey 266, pun-perforated casing at 4,227-45 feet after cementing 7-inch o.d. casing on bottom at 4,274 feet. The well was showing oil and gas on production test.

Making oil and wash water through casing perforations (60 shots) at 4,214-31 feet, Davis and No. B-20 Slick Estate, Survey 266, probably will be another excellent producer. Total depth was 4,279 feet where oil string was cemented.

Davis and Company No. B-21 Slick Estate, Survey 266, was abandoned dry at total depth of 4,299 feet without picking up worthwhile sands.

Steady drilling continued on three other wells in the field. Davis and Company No. B-22 Slick Estate Survey 266 was past 3,800 feet, the No. B-23 Slick Estate, Survey 266, was drilling below 4,000 feet and the No. A-3 Slick Estate, Survey 528, was making hole at 3,500 feet and was preparing to core around 3,600 feet for a shallower oil sand which has carried gas and water in other sections of the field.

Locations Are Staked

Locations have been staked for the Davis Nos. B-24, B-25 and B-26 Slick Estate, all in proven sections of the field.

In the Sun field in northeastern Starr, a new western outpost well had spudded, one new producer was being completed and another test, on the northeast edge of production, was coring.

Sun Oil Company No. 7 Augustin Olivares, Survey 239, an inside location, cemented 5 1-2-inch o.d. casing at 4,952 feet, which was also total depth, and was ready to gun-perforate for production test in sand cored at 4,903-11 feet. Drill stem test showed 1,400 feet of oil with 100 pounds pressure in 25 minutes.

Magnolia Is Coming

On the northeast edge of the field Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Enemorio Juarez, south part of Survey 241, was coring around 4,800 feet.

Sun Oil Comnany No. B-1 Geo. H. Speer, Survey 236, is a new western outpost well for the field, about 1,000 feet west of production. Operators were ready to start beneath surface casing cemented around 1,000 fet.

Humble Oil and Refining Company No. 3 N. R. Montalvo, Survey 237, in the northwest part of the field, was coring around 4,300 feet.

Humble had staked four new locations in Survey 237 in the field, including the No. 4 Montalvo, 933 feet north of the No. 2 Montalvo, and on which derrick is already built; No. 5 Montalvo, located 933 feet north of No. 1 Montalvo; No. 6 Montalvo, located 933 feet north of No. 4 Montalvo; and No. 7 Montalvo, located 933 feet north of No. 5 Montalvo.

Humble Has Producer

In the Kelsey field in Starr, Jim Hogg and Brooks Counties, Humble Oil and Refining Company had completed another new producer on the east edge of the field and another was drilling, both in Brooks County.

Humble's No. 66 J. C. McGill, La Blanca Grant, Brooks County, 3,600 feet east of discovery, gauged 139 barrels daily on 9-64-inch tubing choke with 650 pounds tubing working pressure and closed-in casing pressure of 850 pounds from sand at 4,726-33 feet.

About 5,500 feet east of discovery, Humble's No. 64 J. C. McGill, La Blanca Grant, Brooks County, was preparing to cement oil string after coring past 4,764 feet.

Producers Completed

Two new producers were completed in the Colorado field in western Jim Hogg County, one of which extended production 660 feet to the northeast.

Humble Oil and Refining Company No. 7 King Ranch-Colorado, Survey 42, gauged 151 barrels daily on 3-16-inch tubing choke with 180 pounds tubing working pressure and 700 pounds closed-in casing pressure from sand at 3,063-73 feet. It extended the field's producing area 660 feet northeast.

On inside location, Humble's No. 5 King Ranch-Colorado, Survey 42, cored the field sand at 3,072-82 feet and cemented casing at 3,070 feet.

The second producer for the Colorado field was Great State Oil Company (C. Andrade III) No. D-1 F. G. Trevino, southeast corner of Survey 37, on the north edge of the field. The well gauged 60 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with 200 pounds tubing working pressure and 350 pounds closed-in casing pressure from sand at 3,003-09 feet.

Considerable new drilling is in prospect for the Sullivan City field in Western Hidalgo County. Royal Oil and Gas Company of Houston, which recently purchased several leases, including a gas-distillate well of E. E. Baldridge et al in Tract 238, Porcion 40. This company is now engaged in deepening the Baldridge et al No. 1 V. G. Chapa, originally completed at total depth of 4,026 feet, to new total depth of 4,200 feet.

Location has been staked 330 feet out of the southwest corner of Tract 238 for Royal Oil and Gas No. 1 V. G. Chapa.

FRUIT PRICE SHOWS GAIN

Average For Week Is Three Cents Up

HARLINGEN — Valley grapefruit prices improved as the season moved into its closing phases with a steadily diminishing volume of shipments.

The Texas-Federal Market News Service reported in its Saturday bulletin that the average price per box for Valley grapefruit during the week just ended was three cents a box better than the week before and nine cents more than Florida got for her product.

The Valley sold 48,497 boxes of grapefruit on the auctions the past week for an average of $2.46 per box or three cents better than the previous week when 52,964 boxes were sold for an average price of $2.43 per box.

The Valley price also was nine cents better than an average of $2.37 per box for Florida fruit but that state marketed a large volume, 106,256 boxes on the auctions. The Florida price was only a penny per box better than the week before when 108,052 boxes were sold for an average price of $2.36 per box.

Valley fruit was sold on nine of the ten auctions and none averaged less than $2.00 per box. St. Louis, which also has the lowest freight rate, paid an average of $2.03 per box for 4,919 boxes while New York was the highest market with 6,139 boxes averaging $2.79 per box in spite of heavy Florida offerings. The St. Louis price netted about $8.85 per ton above delivered cost while the New York average netted about $23.50 per ton. The averages are believed to include white and pink meated fruits.

The Valley movement Saturday totalled 14 cars, the lowest weekday figure in some time and daily loadings were expected to decline still more during the coming week with only a few scattered packing plants left open. Florida dropped back to 40 cars Saturday after Friday's surprising 129, California moved seven cars and Arizona six to make the day's total 67 cars as compared to 180 the same date last season.

Track holdings moved back to 109 cars Saturday, having been 100 cars Friday. This was thought to be a week-end rise due to the fact no auction markets operate on Saturdays.

Show Planned

Exhibit By Science Classes Closes

McALLEN — Members of the science departments of the McAllen senior high school prepared over the week-end for their third annual open house in 1941 after completing a highly successful show this week.

Approximately 1,000 persons were registered at the open house for which students in the biology, chemistry, physics, art and home economics classes displayed projects on which they had been working virtually all year.

The following teachers sponsored the show: Miss Adele Johnson, home economics instructor; Don Erwin, art; Erwin Jacks, chemistry and general science and Charles Cameron, biology and physics.

GREENLAND SALE?

COPENHAGEN—(AP)—Danish foreign office circles declared Saturday that "the question of the sale of Greenland to the United States never has been raised, nor does it exist so far as the Danish government is concerned."

Special Train Is To Bring Pinocchio 'In Person' To Harlingen During The Week; Students Are To Be At Station

HARLINGEN—Pinocchio, internationally famous youth character, will make a personal appearance in Harlingen Wednesdy of this week, according to Theater Manager Jack King (Arcadia), and will arrive in a special Missouri Pacific train.

"As far as I know," said King Saturday, "this is Pinocchio's first and only public appearance in the United States, and is being made with special permission of the Walt Disney studios."

Hundreds of Harlingen school children will meet the train, which arrives at 3:15 p. m. Arrangements for this have been made with Supertendent E. O. Deering of the Harlingen schools.

The train, chartered especially for Pinocchio, will make the run from Houston to the Valley with just one person aboard—Pinocchio.

Saddle In Sky Gets Boost From C. Of C.

BROWNSVILLE — "Saddle In the Sky," the latest book from the prolific pen of J. H. Plenn, Brownsville newspaper reporter, is being given a boost by the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce.

Col. W. E. Talbot, vice president and general manager of the chamber, is mailing a prospectus to old, new and prospective tourists telling of Brownsville's climate and other attractions.

A notation on the card reads: "Have you read 'Saddle In the Sky'? It will remind you of Brownsville. Why don't you come down here this summer?"

Harlingen Townsend Club Meets Monday

HARLINGEN — Harlingen Townsend club will hold its regular meeting at the city hall here April 22 at 8 p. m., officers said Saturday. Col. George Hill, San Benito, will be principal speaker.

L. A. Baker, president, urged all Townsendites, of Harlingen and the Valley, to attend the meeting.

MUSICIAN DIES

WICHITA FALLS—(AP)—W. Henri Lamar, 43, died of a heart attack here Friday night during a concert of his orchestra at a social function.

Arms Blast Shakes London; Toll Five

LONDON —(AP)— Five men were killed and 15 injured in a munitions factory explosion in north London Saturday.

The blast shook the entire neighborhood. One workman who was nearby said the concussion was "terrific."

RAIL SHOWS PROFIT

DENVER—(AP)—The Great Western Sugar Company and its subsidiaries reported Saturday a net profit of $4,058,641.92 for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1940.

ING IS VISITOR

HARLINGEN—Frank Ing of Raymondville was a visitor Saturday afternoon in Harlingen.

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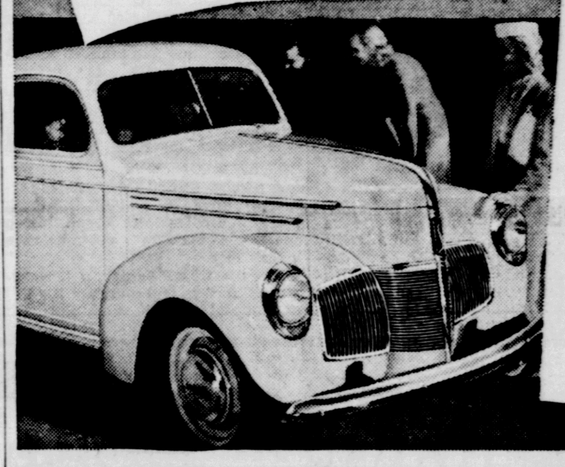
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Tacky Party







Raymondville's benefit Tacky Party held Friday night at the FSA labor camp brought out some odd costumes. In the photographs above are, upper left, W. F. Hardrick, Raymondville, starting a windup to blot out a swastika painted on J. W. Hayes' pants. Upper right are shown Mickey Davis, Elzie Johns, Theo Smith and Bob Bryant, winners with prizes; left center, Nila Taylor and Buddy Davis and baby doll; Mrs. Charles Johnson and Mrs. W. F. Hardrick, center; and Mickey Davis and Bob Bryant in another pose. Lower left, V. H. Tumlinson, Mrs. F. D. Henderson and Henderson, Mrs. W. M. Horn, and W. F. Hardrick; and lower right, Carol Padgett as Esmeralda, and Mrs. Ira Page as the Hunchback of Notre Dame.

NEW TOURIST GAINS SHOWN FOR M'ALLEN

1940 Registrations Top Last Year's

McALLEN — Increasing importance of McAllen as a winter tourist center is shown in registration figures for 1939-40 released Saturday by the chamber of commerce.

The registrations for the past season, November 15 to April 19, totalled 3,671, or 225 in excess of the previous season and 353 above the registration two seasons ago.

At least 25 per cent of the winter visitors never register, which would bring the total number of visitors to nearly 4,200, tourist officials said. So far as available records disclose, these figures place McAllen next to San Antonio for the number of persons who spend a part or all of the winter in Texas to escape "back home" climate.

Entertainment programs for winter visitors are continuing steadily in McAllen and since programs in nearly all other cities have been discontinued for the season, tourists in all Valley cities are invited to join all McAllen parties, chamber officials said. Last week tourists from several other Valley communities came to McAllen to attend the programs.

Officials said they used total registrations and records of passports to Mexico issued here and at the Hidalgo bridge, plus estimates based on tourist court and hotel occupancy, to arrive at a figure of 10,000 persons believed to spend from a few hours to six months every year in McAllen.

An actual count made in January this year showed 2,022 tourists living in McAllen. The U. S. Bureau of Commerce estimates a transient tourist spends $5 a day. Chamber of commerce officials said that obviously was too high for the winter visitors in the Valley. But they pointed out that if the tourists spent only $1 a day, the payroll in McAllen was $2,022 per day. An actual survey, showed the average is much higher than $1 a day per person, as families interviewed were spending from a low of $60 a month to a high of $417 a month. This was said to have been McAllen's highest winter month's payroll.

St. Louis, Houston To Get Convention

LUBBOCK —(AP)— Southwest branch of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers will meet next year in St. Louis, and Rice Institute at Houston has been recommended for the 1940 convention site of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, it was announced at conclusion of a two day joint convention of the groups here Saturday.

Proven oil reserves in the United States now total nearly 20 billion barrels, of which Texas alone has 55 per cent.

Frozen Sleep Fails On Animals' Cancer

PHILADELPHIA — (AP) — The "frozen sleep" widely used as an experiment for treating human cancer has been tried on mice and failed to cure cancer in the animals.

The experiments were announced Saturday in the annual report of the International Cancer Research Foundation which describes the work in the past year of 38 groups of cancer experts in the United States, Europe and Japan. The foundation gave them financial assistance.

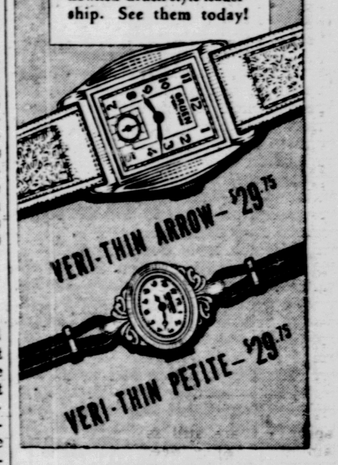


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Penny Drive Aids Refugee Children

BROWNSVILLE— The children's crusade "for children" is to be launched here Monday, and continue until April 30, to stress the blessings of American liberty, and secure financial aid for refugee youngsters of Europe and Asia.

The pennies of Brownsville school children, one penny for each year of their age, will be turned over to the refugee fund April 30.

School children throughout the United States are cooperating.

Classroom and auditorium programs, and articles in current magazines by leading writers, will also feature the movement.

Brownsville school teachers will hear of final plans at a general faculty meeting Tuesday at 4 p.m. at Brownsville high school.

Called by E. C. Dodd, superintendent of Brownsville schools, the combined faculties will hear of the program through Leo T. Allbritten, a faculty and committee member.

The Mexican consulate will tell of summer Mexican travel plans, and Mr. Dodd will also report on the recent Southern Association convention.

The faculty committee here planning activities for the children's crusade is composed of Mrs. Gertrude Sharp, Mrs. E. B. Russell, Mrs. W. J. Truss, Miss Emilia Fernandez and Mr. Allbritten. Art classes are working on appropriate posters.

The main objective, Allbritten said, is to emphasize the things taken for granted in the United States that are denied in other nations. The amount of April 30 contributions is subordinate, he added.

Mrs. Dorothy Canfield Fisher, novelist, originated the idea. The national advisory board includes Mrs. Fisher, Eleanor Roosevelt, William A. White, Justice Irving Lehman, Msgr. John A. Ryan and others.

ENVOY TO ICELAND

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Bertel E. Kuniholm, the United States consul at Zurich, Switzerland, was assigned Saturday by the state department to be the first American consul in Iceland.

FHA Predicts Home Building' 40 Boom

WASHINGTON —(AP)— New evidence of a coming home-building boom which might set a 12-year record was reported Saturday by Stewart McDonald, Federal Housing administrator.

He said all records for FHA home financing were broken during the week ended April 13, for the fourth successive week, as construction was started on 3,700 new units under FHA inspection.

GARNER MOVE SPREADS

DENVER —(AP)— Incorporation papers for a "Garner for President Club," to promote the candidacy of Vice President John Nance Garner, were filed Saturday with the secretary of state.

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Fat Rattlesnakes Sought By Barber

SPUR—(AP)—Cecil Fox, Spur barber, and his partner, V. C. Smart, are interested in locating all the fat rattlesnakes they can find.

A commercial snake farm in California pays them, not by the foot, but by the pound for all the rattlers they catch.

Rail Line Suspends Excursion Operation

NOGALES, Ariz.—(AP)—The Southern Pacific of Mexico has suspended operation of excursion trains or "extra" freight trains, due to a shortage of fuel oil, announcing that only a six-day supply for regular operation is available.

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THAT MAYOR RAMSEY returned this week from a safety meeting in Austin where he was awarded a plaque in behalf of Harlingen for the no-fatality record in 1939. This award was made by the Texas Safety Association.

THAT if you can't find what you want at your local store, you CAN find it in Harlingen.

THAT this DO YOU KNOW feature is sponsored by the Merchants Committee of the Harlingen Chamber of Commerce? That's right, and suggestions of odd facts will be appreciated.

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SPORTS

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By E.C. Doc OSBORN

Weather Can Help

All signs point to some real fishing when the International Tarpon Rodeo is held at the mouth of the Rio Grande, April 27 and 28. That is if the weatherman continues to give out this fine fishing weather.

And it is reported that tarpon are already swarming at the mouth, perhaps just getting in shape for the many anglers who are certain to enter the big fishing event. Make no mistake, when a tarpon prepares for you, he is a tough customer to handle. Which should make you want to take part in the rodeo.

By the way, Hurt Batsell, the fellow who annually stages the rodeo with everyone his guest, requests that if you are planning on entering, to please register at the Batsell-Wells Sporting Goods store in Brownsville. This can be done by letter or phone. It would help if the host has some idea how many to plan for. And he wants every angler from one end of the Valley to the other. Also all visitors. He tells us he will have enough coffee to go around regardless of how many accept his invitation.

You can give yourself a big thrill at the mouth of the Rio Grande next Saturday and Sunday—whether you take part in the rodeo or just watch the other fellow try to land his tarpon.

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New Red Players

A strong booster of the Cincinnati Reds called in yesterday to ask some questions about the new players with the National League champions this year.

After giving him such information as we had, we thought it might be interesting to others who are picking the Reds to win the senior loop flag again.

Here is some dope:

Jim Turner, veteran hurler obtained by the Reds from Boston, has control of a good curve ball. Jim is a hitting pitcher. He's at his best in hot weather.

Joe Beggs, sinker-ball artist, obtained from the New York Yankees. Expectional control and cool under fire. Won 12 and lost 10 for Newark last year. Showed well in spring exhibition games.

John Hutchings, up from Pensacola of the Southeastern League, where he won 22 and lost 10. Had 205 strikeouts last year for a new loop record. Also a good fielding pitcher.

John Cannon, southpaw with Albany last year. Won 13 games, while pitching in 33. Four years in pro ball and in four different leagues.

Bill Baker, third-string backstop, was second in batting in the American Association last year with a .338 average. Never played lower than Class A ball.

Russ Bevell, second-sacker, drafted from the Southern Association, hit .326 for New Orleans. Swift on his feet and a steady fielder. Has improved his batting average with every advancement.

Mike McCormick, speedy outfielder up from the American Association. No relation to Frank, slugging first-baseman. May solve the left-field problem. Is a ball hawk. Batted .318 last year, scoring 100 runs. One of the outstanding rookies of the spring exhibition games.

Neil Clifford, scrappy catcher of the Reds was obtained from Tacoma of the Western International League. Batted .328 along with driving in 80 runs. Tagged as a great prospect.

Damon Phillips, youngster of the Redleg squad. Not yet 21. One of the Detroit players declared a free agent by Commissioner Landis. Played shortstop for Henderson of the East Texas League last year.

Boxing Commission To Watch Amateurs

AUSTIN, Tex.—(AP)—The boxing and wrestling division of the state labor department Saturday notified amateur athletic organizations strict supervision will be placed on all amateur clubs sponsoring boxing and wrestling.

Travis McCall, in charge of the division, said clubs promoting amateur cards are required to affiliate either with the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation, the Gulf Coast A.A.U. or the Southwestern A.A.U. before conducting amateur shows.

They must make application for permission to stage shows seven days in advance of the contest and submit the name of a licensed referee for certification. Another provision requires that no club shall promote more than two shows in any one month and that no person connected with professional boxing and wrestling shall participate in any capacity during an amateur show.

McAllen's Bulldogs Win Final Contest

McALLEN — The McAllen Bulldogs defeated the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo Bears 5 to 2 here Friday afternoon in the final conference game in the upper bracket for the two clubs.

The Bulldogs meet the Harlingen Cardinals at the latter's field Tuesday for the first round of the play-off for the Valley title. Santa Rosa, winner of first place in the lower bracket, goes to P-SJ-A for another play-off game.

Three Other Valley Aces Win Firsts

K. Jean, Donna, Is Girls Net Champ

KINGSVILLE — (Spl) — Scornig three firsts, a second and a fourth for a total of 19 points, Karnes City won the regional track and field meet here Saturday, nosing out the Freer athletes who accounted for 17 tallies on one first place, three seconds, one third and ont fourth.

Laredo came in a close third with 16 1-2 points and Kingsville took fourth with 11 points. The Donna Redskins paced the Rio Grande Valley schools with 10 points and fifth place.

Other Valley schools finished with the following points: Lyford, 6 1-4; Stuart Place, 5; Brownsville, 4 3-4; Rio Hondo, 4; Raymondville, 3; Edcouch-Elsa, 2; Pharr-San Juan-Alamo, 2; La Feria, 1; El Jardin, 1.

Vaughn of Laredo won both hurdle events and placed second in the broad jump to take individual scoring honors with 13 points. Labus of Karnes City placed first in the 440-yard dash, second in the 100-yard dash, fourth in the broad jump and anchored the winning relay team to take second with 10 1-4 points.

Truman Cox of Donna and Adams of Kingsville, scored 10 points each while Pendleton of Woodsboro was fifth with eight points. Cox set a new regional record when he tossed the discus 128 feet, seven inches.

Four new records were posted in the meet as follows: Vijados, Karnes City, 880-yard run; Stranado, El Campo, mile run; Labus, Karnes City, 440-yard-dash; Cox, Donna, discus.

Among the first place winners were Medley, Stuart Place, who tossed the javelin 154 feet, and Ross, Lyford, and Stevenson, Brownsville, tied for first place in a four-way tie, with a mark of 11 feet, three inches.

The results:

220-yard low hurdles — Vaughn, Laredo, WILSON, LYFORD; Franke, Orange Grove, Valla, Laredo. 25.2.

100-yard dash—Adame, Kingsville, Mutschler, Yorktown; Pickens, Mirando City; Cooper, Cureo, 10 flat.

880-yard run—Vijados, Karnes City; Garcia, San Diego, LONG, RIO HONDO; GONZALES, LA FERIA. 2:04.7, new record.

Javelin — MEDLEY, STUART PLACE; Edmondo, Hebbronville; Fowle, Bay City; MORGANEAU, EL JARDIN. 154 feet.

High jump—Hunt Kenedy; DREYER, RAYMONDVILLE; STUART, BROWNSVILLE; Valls, Laredo. 5 feet 11 inches.

Shot put—Pendleton, Woodsboro; Cooper, Freer; COX, DONNA; Sanchez, Laredo. 46 feet, 7 inches.

120-yard high hurdles—Vaughn, Laredo; COX, DONNA; EVANS, P-SJ-A; Hemperly, Refugio. 15.9.

Broadjump—J. Anderson, Freer, 20 feet, 11 inches; A. Vaughn, Laredo, 20 feet, 10 inches; Greenberg, Bay City, 20 feet, 5 inches; Labus, Karnes City, 20 feet, 4 inches.

Mile relay—Karnes City, time 3:40.8. (Vido, Smolik, Mabry, Labus); Freer, Benavides, Kingsville.

440-yard dash — Labus, Karnes City, 51.3, (new record); Anderson, Freer.

Discus—COX, DONNA, 128 feet, 7 inches, (new record); Pendleton, Woodsboro; Cooper, Freer; Rous, Freer.

Pole vault—White, Aransas Pass; ROSS, LYFORD; Dornberg, Goliad; STEVENSON, BROWNSVILLE; all tied at 11 feet, 3 inches.

220-yard dash—Adame, Kingsville, 21.6 (tied old record); Ladu, Karnes City; BLACK, RIO HONDO; WILSON, LYFORD; and Salinas, Laredo; tied for fourth place.

One mile run—Stranado, El Campo, 4:45.6 (new record); Trejo, San Diego; STEPHENS, EDCOUCH-ELSA; Luark, Kenedy.

In the tennis events, Katherine Jean, of Donna defeated Martha Poole of Sinton, 6-3, 8-6, to win the girls singles title and E. Wehman and C. B. Luces, Cuero, defeated P. Wilmeth and H. Hagedorn, San Benito, 6-3, 6-1, for the doubles crown.

Spilman of Mission beat Kelly, Ribstown, 6-3, 7-5, for the boys singles championship and Lovelace and Whaley, Corpus Christi, won over Williams and Chapin, Mirando City, 6-0, 2-6, 6-4, for the doubles title.

Merchants Play Eagles Today

BROWNSVILLE — The recently organized Brownsville Merchants, semi-pro baseball club, will take on the Harlingen Eagles Sunday afternoon at Charro Park here.

With a strong club managed by Adolfo Arguijo, the Merchants will put on the mound Robert Champion, with Choves Rivera seeing action behind the plate.

The Harlingen Eagles, managed by Lupe Rodriguez, rank among the Valley's fastest semi-pro clubs.

Girls taking part in the Brownsville softball league play will be admitted free at Charro Park Sunday, Arguijo has announced. Admission charge at the park is 25 cents.

To follow up Sunday's game the Brownsville Merchants plan to schedule a game for Sunday, April 28, with a strong up-state semi-pro club.

One Dove Not Migratory

Texas has one member of the dove family which is not migratory, remaining in the st: the year around. It is the white-fronted dove, sometimes called wood pigeon, a game bird peculiar to the border section. Throughout the spring and summer months it is easily recognized by its drumming call, but during the winter it is extremely silent, not giving voice to a single note.

Riggs Will Battle Grant In River Oaks Net Finals

HOUSTON — (AP) — Irrepressible Bobby Riggs brought out his greatest shots Saturday to conquer poker faced Frank Guernsey in the semi-finals of the River Oaks Tennis Tournament here.

The National champion needed every expert maneuver to get past one of the ifnest retrievers in tennis, 8-6, 8-6, 4-6, 6-4.

The grueling battle consumed 3 hours and 15 minutes in mid-summer heat.

Bobby left Riggs the clown, Riggs the indifferent, in the locker room. Dead serious from start to finish, he pounded balls at Guernsey until he finally broke through to enter the finals against Bitsy Grant Sunday.

Guernsey beat Riggs the last time they met—in the Seabright tournament last year—and Riggs knew he had a tough job on hand to beat the mite champion of intercollegiate tennis.

The match started in favor of the 24-year-old Rice Institute player. It took nine games for Riggs to assume the lead, 5-4, and in the tenth game he had set point and lost four straight to the unsmiling collegian. Riggs finally won in 14 games.

He ran out the second set convincingly but again had to play several extra games after being within shouting distance of set point.

Guernsey, defending champion, took the third set quickly.

Riggs experimented with a forcing game in the third set and adopted the same strategy to run out the match in the fourth.

As he lay puffing on the rubbing table, Riggs told Guernsey "I was lucky to win. You played a great game."

Miss Mary Hardwick of England breezed into the finals of the women's singles against Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Fabyan of Boston. Miss Hardwick eliminated Patricia Canning, 17-year-old Alameda, Calif., player, 6-4, 6-1.

Wilmer Allison and Johnny Van Ryn, old time Davis Cup and National champion doubles team, fell before Jack Tidball of Los Angeles and Charles Hare of England in a mild upset, 6-4, 11-9, 5-7, 6-2.

SETS NEW RECORD



Truman Cox, star of the Donna high school track and field squad, set a new regional record when he tossed the discus 128 feet, seven inches at Kinsville Saturday. (Staff Photo.)

Mercedes Team Contesting For National Honors

Schoolboy Shooters Fire Saturday

MERCEDES—Five young shooting stars, all of them students of the Mercedes high school, contested for national honors Saturday in the national Junior Riflemen's tournament under the sponsorship of the National Rifle Association.

The Mercedes aces were led in the scoring Saturday by Bob Schaeffer who hit the bull's eye for 196 out of a possible 200 points. Billy Paul Green turned in a score of 195, James Settles 193, Ralph Powell 192 and Bill Boller 185. The total team score was 961 out of a possible 1000 points.

Saturday's tournament included 50 of the nation's foremost junior rifle squads which shot top scores in the recent 6-match series in which 195 teams from 36 states competed. Mercedes and El Paso were the only Texas teams to qualify for the national championship match. Both aggregations finished the series with a score of 2920 out of a possible 3000 points. In each of the matches each contestant fired ten shots from prone position at a distance of 50 yards. In the championship event Saturday each competing marksman was required to fire 20 shots at a 50-foot distance.

The results of Saturday's tournament will be announced soon by the National Rifle Association to whom all scores fired by the 50 teams are being submitted for selection of the national winners.

The same quintet of Mercedes marksmen won the state championship in the Sons of the Legion Rifle tournament during the past two years and finished in 13th place in the national legion competition last year.

Topping the list of contestants in the present national tournament was the high school team of Etna, Pennsylvania which turned in a perfect score in the 6-match series and the Munhall high school coed squad which finished the series with 2998 out of a possible 3000 points. The Munhall girls have been the national champions for the past two years with perfect scores.

Los Fresnos Girls Win In Tournament

LOS FRESNOS — Displaying a steady brand of play from the opening game, the Los Fresnos girls won the championship of the girls division of the Rio Grande Volley Ball tournament held here Saturday.

The Los Fresnos team, coached by Miss Phail-Dean Copeland, defeated La Feria, 15-8, 15-10, in the final game after taking the measure of Rio Hondo, Brownsville and El Jardin. It was the third title won by the locals this season, others being the La Feria tourney and in the district meet.

The La Feria boys won the title in the boys' division, winning over Rio Hondo in the title game.

Members of the Los Fresnos team were: Barbara Jean Goates, Juanita Brooks, Elizabeth Galyean, Hazel Lipe, Ruby Jean Pederson and Patsy Weikel.

Twenty-two teams competed in the tournament, 13 in the girls' division and nine in the boys'.

Baylor Tennis Team Wins Over Aggies

COLLEGE STATION—(AP)—The Baylor tennis team won all singles and one doubles event to beat the Texas Aggies, five matches to one, Saturday.

Hilley downed Mitchell, 6-1, 11-9; Cornelieson beat Given, 6-8, 6-2, 6-1; Harris defeated Adams, 6-1, 6-2, and Haynes won from Krezdom, 6-3, 6-3.

Mitchell and Given won a doubles from Cornelieson and Haynes of Baylor, 1-6, 6-3, 6-3. Hilley and Harris defeated Adams and Krezdom, 6-4, 6-0.

Three Marks May Fall At Austin

By The Associated Press

At least three records will be in danger next month when 400 track field contestants converge on Austin for the state schoolboy meet.

Eight regional meets Saturday determined those who will go to the state capital May 3 and 4.

First, second, third, and fourth places in meets at Canyon, Abilene, Denton, Longview, Huntsville, San Marcos, Kingsville and Marfa are eligible for the state contests.

The state record for the shot put was surpassed by J. D. Montgomery of Moran, but it was not allowed as an official regional mark because the shot used was found to have been seven ounces too light.

The blond Montgomery pitched the shot 56 feet 1 inch, compared to the state mark of 53 feet 8 1-2 inches set by Earwood of Rock Springs in 1936.

Several other stars neared records as some 400 youngsters qualified for the state meet at Austin May 3 and 4.

Two weight men tossed the javelin dangerously near the state mark set by O'Neil of Yoakum in 1934. The record is 196 feet 8 inches.

Bill Barry of Ysleta got 194 feet 8 inches in the meet at Marfa. Batts of San Antonio Tech came within two inches of Barry. He paritcipated in the meet at San Marcos.

The mile relay team of Highland Park (Dallas) came within less than three seconds of the state record with a time of 3 minutes 28.2 seconds. Abilene holds the present mark of 3:25.6.

Ralph Schrimpf, Highland Park star, ran the mile in 4:59.7, which in 4.3 seconds over the state mark.

Barrett of Yoakum turned in one of the best pole vaulting exhibitions of the year when he vent over the bar at 11 feet 10 5-8 inches.

Denzil Kennemer, Iraan's one-man gang, competing in the regional meet at Marfa, won the 120-yard high hurdles in 15.5 seconds, the 100-yard dash in 10 seconds, the 220-yard dash in 21.7 and was fourth in the javelin throw.

Kennemer looms as probably the season's outstanding all-around star.

Max Miner of Tahoka is another "one man team." Competing at Canyon he made all his school's points—15, setting a new regional record in the broad jump at 22 feet 1-2-inch, ran the 220-yard low hurdles in 25.1 and was first in the 220-yard dash.

Adame of Kingsville ran the 220 in 21.6, which beat Kennemer's time. Adame competed in the regional meet at Kingsville where Labus of Kansas City ran the 440 in 51.3, which was one of the best marks of the day in this event. Whitmire of Aledo had a time of 51.2 at Denton.

The state championship Brady team showed it again was strongly in the running by piling up 30.6 points to win the meet at Abilene. The Bulldogs qualified men in eight events, these including Beecher Huff and Aubrey Shaw, stars at last year's state meet.

Highland Park continued as the major threat, however. With Schrimpf and the mile relay team, Highland Park can contest any of them. Most times the state meet is won with 10 or 15 points.

While Miner was taking individual honors, a well-balanced Amarillo high school team garnered four first places and enough others to total 32 points for the Region One championship.

Shamrock, District Two champion, was third with 11 5-6 points, and Olton, District Three titleholder, came in fourth with 10 1-3 points.

AMERICANS SAFE

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The State Department received word Saturday that Americans at Bergen and Trondheim, Norway, including officers and crew of two American ships caught by the German invasion, were safe.

Rio Grande Yacht Club Aids Buccaneer Regatta

BROWNSVILLE — The Rio Grande Yacht club is to help conduct the Buccaneer Regatta at Corpus Christi June 9 during the annual Buccaneer Days celebration, June 7, 8 and 9.

R. W. Pitts, race chairman of the Valley club will have charge of the competition races June 9 with other members of the club assisting.

Corpus Christi's vast new seawall project, nearing completion, will provide an outdoor theater seating 20,000 persons for the event.

There are to be eight races held in the outboard regatta, two each in the A, B and C hydroplanes, and two for C class racing runabouts with a total of $640 in prize money. The cream of the outboard crop is expected.

"This will be a sanctioned regatta and all world records broken on the course will be recognized by the National Outboard Association," Pitts said. "A special party for the visiting drivers and officials will be held Saturday evening June 8. The races will start Sunday at 2 p.m.

Glover Johns, Jr., assistant secretary of the Corpus Christi Chamber of Commerce told Pitts that a few of the Buccaneer Day attractions will al: include a gigantic parade and surfboard races; the Lions club is sponsoring the Gay Lady, a frontier days show; the North Beach Kiwanis club a bathing girls review; the Optimist club, a rodeo. The Junior Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the regatta.

Mr. Johns, who is also secretary of the Buccaneer Days committee, issued a special invitation to the Valley to attend, Pitts added.

The following officials, Pitts said, will conduct the Buccaneer Days Regatta: Mr. Pitts, chairman of the race committee; C. B. Sherry, Waco, NOA referee; Everett Easterly, Brownsville, chief timer; Ray Russell, San Antonio, chief starter; Gene Albin, Corpus Christi, chief scorer; Arthur Toft, Houston, and George Leonard, Brownsville, pit managers.

Also, Louis Bauman, Houston, and Kenneth Clark, Brownsville, measurers and inspectors; Mr. Johns, Jr., Corpus Christi, surveyor; Dale Fagin, Brownsville, chief summary man; Major John N. Merrill, Brownsville, chronometerman; Major H. M. Shoemaker, Harlingen, clockman, and Andrew Henericks, Corpus Christi, gunner. Several other officials are also to be appointed by Mr. Johns, Jr.

TENDER LAUNCHED

CAMDEN, N. J.—(AP)—The U.S.S. Curtiss, first navy vessel designed and built as a seaplane tender, was launched here Saturday at the yards of the New York Shipbuilding Corporation.

Four New Marks Established At Kansas Relays

Cunningham Fails In Mile Run

By HAROLD CLAASSEN

LAWRENCE, Kan. — (AP) — The heart was there but youth with its famous "kick" had fled, so Glenn Cunningham won only the sympathy of 12,000 spectators at the University of Kansas Relays Saturday.

He finished a stubborn last in a special mile run, feature event of the carnival which saw four new records etched during a long afternoon of competition by athletes from 48 colleges and universities.

A Rideout Stars

By leading at the half, Cunningham quickened the pulse of those who were here to bid him farewell, but Blaine Rideout came from nowhere in the final 220 yards to win in 4:10.1 and erase the name of Kansas' favorite athletic son from the records of the 18-year-old Midwest classic. The Kansan's mark of 4:12.7 had stood since 1934.

Other record-bettering performances were turned in by the University of Oklahoma's sprint medley quartet, Baker University's sprint relay team and four Abilene Christian College athletes who ambled two miles in seven minutes, 48 and 4-10 seconds.

But it was Cunningham a majority of the spectators came to see—and honor. He preceded the mile jaunt by announcing that beginning September 1 he would be connected with Cornell College at Mount Vernon, Iowa. Previously the man who has ankled the fastest mile in history said this, his ninth appearance at the relays, would be his last. For the past three years he has been associated with the University of Kansas extension department.

Blaine Rideout, wearing a white jersey to distinguish him from his twin brother in green, had a one-yard lead over Archie San Romani and Wayne Rideout who were about five yards ahead of Cunningham.

Boydston Fails

Don Boydston, Oklahoma A. & M. high jumper for whom big things have been predicted, captured the event but failed to better the record. He was a relaxed winner at six feet, six inches.

E. Lee Todd, Boulder, Colo., athlete, retained his decathlon title by collecting 6,730 points, 183 more than last year.

A rousing half mile by Ray Gahan meant a second straight victory and a new record for Oklahoma in the sprint medley. He took the baton ahead of Harold Brooks, the Nebraska runner, and sped to the tape for a 3:25.3 achievement. Rice Institute foursome set the old mark of 3:27 two years ago.

The Baker four, from Baldwin, Kansas, merely shaved their own mark of 3:36.7 from the 3:29.2 they hung up a year ago.

Abilene Christian College of Texas returned to track fame with a quartet of half milers that snipped more than two seconds off the best previous achievement, made by Emporia, Kansas, Teachers in 1933. Templeton, Womask, Beadles and Rushing were clocked in 7:48.4 for their composite two mile in contrast to the old effort of 7:50.5.

An hour later the school won the college distance medley with Sanders replacing Templeton and the remaining three runners the same. The time was 10:38.

Oklahoma's sprinters also displayed iron-man qualities by annexing the verdict in the half mile university event.

Gatewood Wins

Boyce Gatewood of Texas University, labelled the second fastest hurdler ever to compete in the Southwest, won his first major title with a 14.4 over the high barriers. Through his collegiate career he has placed second consistently behind the great Fred Wolcott of Rice, the national champion.

With Wolcott competing elsewhere Gatewood won easily Saturday. He broke away in front with only Phil Cope of Colorado close at the midway point. He finished fully four yards in front of Walter Revell of Pittsburgh Teachers.

Elmer Hackney of Kansas State, Jack Hughes of Texas and Bob Waldram of Missouri, were repeaters in the field events. Hackney found a toss of 49 5 5-8 inches sufficient to win the shot put title for the third year. Hughes again won the discus throw and Waldram, a southpaw, rules once more in the javelin division.

Beefus Bryan, who on each of two previous visits established new vault marks, was forced to share his honors this season with Dick Higgins of Missouri. They cleared but 13 feet, 3 inches in contrast to the 14 feet, 2 inches Bryan did 12 months ago.

Results included:

Half mile university relay: won by Oklahoma (Mathews, Coogan, Lyda, Koettelo); second, Texas. Time 1:26.7.

Javelin throw: won by Waldram, Missouri, 206 feet 5 inches. Fourth, Adair, Texas, 192 feet 6 inches.

Discus: won by Hughes, Texas, 153 feet 3 1-2 inches.

University quarter mile relay: first heat, won by Texas, 41.3; second, Oklahoma 41.8; third, Minnesota, 41.8; fourth, Kansas 42.4.

Second heat: won by Kansas State, 43.1; second, Iowa State, 43.8; third, Arkansas, 44.4.

Winner on basis of comparative time: Texas (Seay, Gatewood, Roberts, Ramsdell); second, Oklahoma; third, Minnesota; fourth, Kansas.

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Woman Matador Carded Today In Matamoros Ring

Conchita Cintron's Fame Spreading

MATAMOROS — The current sensation of Latin sports circles—a pretty 17-year-old girl of American extraction who outdoes male matadors—will be featured on the bullfight program which will get under way here Sunday afternoon beginning at 4:30 o'clock.

She is Conchita Cintron, a small girl who does not know the meaning of the word fear. Conchita has killed more than 75 bulls, frequently being awarded the ear for unusually good work.

The youngster, the daughter of a former U. S. army officer who lived in Peru for many years, scored a rousing success in her first performance in the Matamoros ring several weeks ago.

Americans are o erawed at her skill and dexterity at a deadly sport, and the Latin-Americans cheer her for her sheer ability, particularly as a "rejoneadora" (Horseback bullfighter).

She has been hailed by critical fans from Chili, where she was born, to Mexico, drawing the plaudits of the exacting fans in the big ring at Mexico City.

There are few male "rejoneadors" left in the world, and she is the only living woman who fights the animals from horseback. This is the old Portuguese style of bullfighting and she learned it from her riding master who is a Portuguese.

On her maternal side, Conchita is related to the Verrill family, one of the oldest families in New England. She is the granddaughter of A. Hyatt Verrill, authority on archelogy.

Other matadors on the program Sunday afternoon will be Alfredo Blando and Gregorio Garcia. If they suffer the fate of many other matadors, they will have to take a back seat to Conchita when the fans begin passing out the applause Sunday afternoon.

20-30 Softballers Will Battle Lions

HARLINGEN—The big blow off occurs this Wednesday night.

At the local softball diamond on that evening, first contest in the annual liniment series between 20-30 and Lions club tens will take place, with following games to take place when and if sufficient contestants recover.

The two clubs jointly are in charge of Wednesday nights at the local field, and will either play one another each week, or present games played by one or the other against outside tens. Both 20-30 and Lions have already received several challenges from out of town teams organized among similar clubs.

Four Tough Matmen On McAllen Card

McALLEN — Four wrestlers who haven't appeared at the McAllen Sports Arena for some time will be in the ring Tuesday night, Promoter George Chapapas announced Saturday.

Paul Jones and Babe Zaharias will battle in the main event. Both have excellent records and are among the best mat artists in the Southwest.

The semi-final will pit Paul Nyman of Finland against Jack League. Nyman is a newcomer. George Mansur will referee both bouts.

Panthers Meet Comales Today

WESLACO — Baseball fans who enjoy their sport in real doses will have their fill here Sunday afternoon when the Weslaco Panthers clash with the Comales, Mexico, team at 2:30 o'clock.

The visitors are recognized as one of the strong teams in northern Mexico and are certain to give the locals plenty of trouble. Among the players on the club is Jose Vasquez, former star of the Panthers.

Last Sunday the Panthers pounded out a 19 to 4 win over the Falfurrias Tigers and will be out to post another victory Sunday.

The Comales team roster is as follows: Donato Rocha, Surdo Silva, Augustin Medrano, J. Carranza and Jose Vasquez, pitchers; P. Ceniseros and Agustin Palomares, catchers; Joe Ortega, first base and captain; Savino, second base; Armendaris, third base; E. Salazar, shortstop; Garcia, left field; Caciano, center field; Nieto, right field; Ayala and Reyna, utility players.

On the Panther squad is the following players: Raul Luna, catcher; Rolando Garza, Bernando Pena and Bill Mills, pitchers; Lefty Ramirez, first base; Mitchell Bloomfield, second base; Juan Gutierrez, third base; Camilo Rodriquez, shortstop; Conde, right field; Chano Gonzalez, center field.; Langerhans, left field, Lefty Garza, utility; R. Gonzalez, manager.

P.G.A. Tournament Landed By Hershey

HERSHEY, Pa.—(AP)—E. F. Ziegler, president of the Hershey Country Club, announced Saturday that the 1940 championship of the Professional Golfers Association had been awarded to Hershey by Tom Walsh, P. G. A. president, and would be held here August 26 to September 1.

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NORTH TEXAS STARS WIN TRACK MEET

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And Rideout Twins Were Absent

HOUSTON —(AP)— North Texas breezed Saturday.

Turning back L.S.U.'s previously unbeaten mile relay team in the fine time of 3:17.6, and sweeping all four places in the javelin as a parting gesture, the Lone Star Conference Eagles won the triangular track and field meet at Rice Field with 70 points. Rice, featuring Captain Fred Wolcott, who scored 14 1-4 points, was second with 51 1-2 and LSU's Tigers, falling down often, wound up third with 48 1-2.

Besides the meet victory, Choc Sportsman's Teachers sent out Welby Williams to win the 100 yard dash over Wolcott and Harvey Bryant to step off the leading performance of the day. Bryant beat Frank Church of L.S.U. in the 880 in the time of 1:53.9, three tenths of a second under Calvin Bell's Southwest Conference record.

If the Rideout twins of North Texas, running at the Kansas Relays Saturday, had been here, the bout would have been worse.

Earl Wylie of Rice, broad jumping for the first time this season, turned in a big upset by beating Billy Brown of LSU in the broad jump. Wylie jumped 22 feet, 2 inches to nip Brown by an inch. The LSU star fouled on all four of his closing tries.

Lanky J. C. Devall of LSU high jumped 6 feet, 4 inches, and Harold Hall of Rice won the 440 in 48.5 seconds as other feature performances. Hall injured his knee slightly in the race that was a thriller all the way as it was.

Wolcott, victim of a bad start in the 100, won both of the hurdles in time just good enough to win, and ran a blazing anchor lap to give Rice the sprint relay in 42.8, slow time. Coupled with his second to Williams in the 100, this day's work gave him his total of 14 1-4 points.

Jim Deal of Rice won both the shot, with 46 feet, 8 inches, and the discus, with 138 feet, 6 3-4 inches, for ten points and second individual standing. Rice swept the shot, Earl Glassie, Jack Everett and Moose Hartman finishing behind Deal.

HANEY HAS HIS HEADACHES . . . . . by Phil Berube





National

CUBS 4; CARDS 3

CHICAGO — (AP) — The Chicago Cubs won their second game of the season when they defeated the St. St. Louis Cards 4 to 3 Saturday. Bill Lee and Ken Raffensberger divided the pitching duties for the Cubs, allowing 12 hits.

St. Louis	AB	R	H
Brown 3b	5	0	0
S. Martin 2b	3	1	1
Slaughter rf	5	0	2
Mize 1b	5	0	2
Hopp xxx	0	1	0
Padgett c	3	0	1
Epps x	0	1	0
Owen c	1	0	1
J. Martin lf	4	0	2
Moore cf	4	0	2
Marion ss	2	0	1
Warneke p	2	0	0
Jones xx	1	0	0
Shoun p	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	12

Chicago	AB	R	H
Hack 3b	4	0	0
Herman 2b	4	1	1
Galan cf	3	2	2
Leiber rf	3	1	1
Dalesandro lf	2	0	1
Russell 1b	4	0	2
Todd c	4	0	0
Sturgeon ss	3	0	0
Lee p	2	0	0
Raf'berger p	0	0	0
Totals	39	4	7

x—Ran for Padgett in 8th.
xx—Batted for Warneke in 8th.
xxx—Ran for Mize in 9th.

St. Louis	001	000	011—3
Chicago	101	000	02x—4

Errors: Russell, Sturgeon. Runs batted in: Mize, Moore, Leiber, Dallessandro, Russell 2, J. Martin. Two base hits: S. Martin. Padgett, Moore, J. Martin. Three base hits: Mize, Galan. Stolen bases: Moore, Galan. Sacrifices: J. Martin, Galan. Double plays: Marion (unassisted); Herman, Sturgeon and Russell; Raffensberger, Todd and Russell. Left on bases: St. Louis 12; Chicago 6. Base on balls: Warneke 1; Shoun 2; Lee 5; Raffensberger 1. Strikeouts: Warneke 2; Lee 2. Hits: off Warneke 5 in 7; Ehoun 2 in 1; Lee 10 in 7 (none out in 8th); Raffensberger 2 in 2. Hit by pitcher: by Warneke (Lee). Winning pitcher: Raffensberger. Losing pitcher: Shoun. Umpires: Dunn, Stark and Sears. Time: 2:11.

American

BROWNS 11; WHITE SOX 1

ST. LOUIS— (AP) —Getting tight pitching from Eldon Auker, the St. Louis Browns walloped the Chicago White Sox, 11 to 1, Saturday, in their delayed opening home game of the season before 4,775 fans. Joe Kuhel's homer saved the Sox from a shut-out. Rip Radcliff drove in five runs for the Browns with a homer and two singles.

Chicago	AB	R	H
R Kennedy 3b	4	0	1
Kuhel 1b	4	1	2
Kreevich cf	4	0	0
Solters lf	4	0	1
Appling ss	4	0	2
Wright rf	4	0	1
McNair 2b	4	0	0
Tresh c	3	0	1
Rigney p	2	0	0
Knott p	1	0	0
Totals	34	1	8

St. Louis	AB	R	H
Radcliff rf	4	1	3
Strange ss	5	0	1
M'Quinn 1b	5	0	0
Gallagher lf	5	2	3
Judnich cf	4	1	2
Clift 3b	4	2	2
Heffner 2b	3	1	0
Susce c	1	1	1
Auker p	3	2	0
Totals	36	11	13

Chicago	000	100	000—1
St. Louis	031	002	41x—11

Errors: Wright, Kuhel, Knott 2. Runs batted in: Clift 2, Radcliff 5, Judnich, Kuhel. Two base hits: Clift, Gallagher, Judnich, Strange, Appling. Home runs: Kuhel, Radcliff. Sacrifice: Auker. Double play: McQuinn, Strange and McQuinn. Left on bases: Chicago 6, St. Louis 8. Bases on balls: Rigney 3, Knott 2, Struck out: by Rigney 3, Auker 5. Hits off: Rigney 9 in 6; Knott 4 in 2. Hit by pitcher: by Rigney (Susce). Wild pitch: Knott. Losing pitcher: Rigney. Umpires: McGowan, Kolls and Geisel. Time 1:54.

Uncle Billy Disch Will Take It Easy

AUSTIN — (AP) — University of Texas regents Saturday granted a leave of absence to W. J. "Uncle Billy" Disch, ailing baseball mentor, and placed B. A. "Bibb" Falk, former Chicago White Sox outfielder, in chrage of the team for the remainder of the season.

Falk has been acting coach of the Longhorns since Disch became ill two weeks ago.

TEXAS LEAGUE

INDIANS 6; MISSIONS 1

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Bill Prince became the first Oklahoma City pitcher to go the full nine innings this season as he pitched the Indians to a 6 to 1 victory over the San Antonio Missions here Saturday night, dumping the Padres from first place for the first time this year. Prince gave up but eight hits and did not walk a man.

Okla. City	AB	R	H
Howell ss	5	0	1
Short cf	4	2	2
Corbett rf	4	1	2
Collins 1b	2	2	0
Jarkensen lf	4	0	1
Gedzius 2b	4	1	1
McDougal c	4	0	2
Nicholson 3b	4	0	1
Prince p	3	0	0
Totals	34	6	10

S. Antonio	AB	R	H
White cf	4	0	0
Hausman 2b	4	1	3
Bell lf	4	0	1
Kraus rf	4	0	0
Huffman c	4	0	1
Stevens 1b	4	0	1
Gorabian 3b	4	0	0
Stephens ss	4	0	1
Burck p	3	0	1
Totals	35	1	8

Oklahoma City	020	001	030—6
San Antonio	000	001	000—1

Errors: Stephens 2, Hausmann. Runs batted in: McDougal, Nicholson, Kraus, Corbett, Jorgensen 2. Two base hit: Corbett. Sacrifice hit: Prince. Stolen bases: Corbett, Collins, Jorgensen. Double plays: Hausmann to Stephens to Stevens; Stephens to Hausmann to Stevens. Base on balls: off Burck 2. Struck out: by Burck 1, by Prince 3. Wil dpitch: Prince. Left on bases: Oklahoma City 4, San Antonio 7. Umpires: Steengrafe and Passarella. Time: 1:40.

OILERS 4; SPORTS 3

SHREVEPORT—(AP)—Tulsa Oilers opened a three-game series here Saturday night by bunching hits off Bobby Coombs and Lefty Brillheart to win by a score of 4 to 3 over Shreveport's Sports.

Tulsa	AB	R	H
Crawford 2b	5	1	2
Weigandt cf	5	0	2
Olson lf	5	0	0
Waitkus 1b	4	0	2
Platt rf	4	1	2
Lowery 3b	3	0	1
Merullo ss	4	0	1
Sueme c	4	2	3
Campbell p	1	0	0
Hallett p	0	0	0
Totals	35	4	13

Shreveport	AB	R	H
Meyer 2b	4	0	1
Vitter cf	4	1	1
Gr'nberg 3b	3	1	1
Eastrling lf	4	0	1
Peel rf	4	1	1
York ss	4	0	2
Jones 1b	4	0	0
Friar c	3	0	0
Coombs p	2	0	0
Brillheart p	0	0	0
x Richards	1	0	0
xx Sim'tchi	0	0	0
z V Antwrp	1	0	0
Totals	34	3	7

x—Batted for Coombs in 8th.
xx—Batted for Friar in 9th.
z—Batted for Brillheart in 9th.

Tulsa	000	100	201—4
Shreveport	000	000	003—3

Errors: Campbell. Runs batted in: Lowery, Crawford, Weigandt 2, Peel, York. Two base hits: Crawford 2, Sueme, Peel, and York. Stolen base: Platt. Sacrifices: Campbell 3. Double plays: Greenberg to Meyer to Jones; Merullo to Crawford to Waitkus. Left on bases: Tulsa 8; Shreveport 6. Bases on balls: off Coombs 1; off Campbell 1; off Hallett 1. Struck out: by Coombs 6; by Campbell 2; by Brillheart 1; by Hallett 1. Hits: Coombs 11 in 8 innings with 3 runs; off Crawford 6 in 8 1-3 innings with 3 runs. Wild pitch: Campbell, Hallett 2. Passed balls: Friar. Winning pitcher: Campbell. Losing pitcher: Coombs. Umpires: Palmer and Wilson. Time: 1:50.

Longview Defeats Tyler Trojans 4-2

TYLER — (AP) — Cecil Gramly, small right hander, allowed six hits Saturday as Longview downed Tyler 4 to 2.

Gramly, off to a rough start when Leo Shoals, Tyler first baseman, homered with a mate aboard in the first, settled down and struck out 12 batters in the first six innings.

Ty Cobb worked for Tyler until Longview jumped on him for two runs in the sixth and Jack Atkinson went in to pitch faultlessly for the balance of the game, holding Longview hitless.

The line score:

Longview	200	002	000—4 6 2
Tyler	200	000	000—2 6 1

Gramly and Weiland; Cobb, Atkinson and Deweese.

Probable Pitchers

NEW YORK—(AP)—Probable pitchers in the major leagues Sunday:

American League

Chicago at St. Louis—Lyons vs Coffman.
Detroit at Cleveland—McKain vs Feller.
Washington at New York—Krakauskas vs Hadley.
Philadelphia at Boston—Heusser vs Galehouse.

National League

St. Louis at Chicago—Davis or McGee vs Dean.
New York at Brooklyn—Gumbert vs Hamlin.
Boston at Philadelphia—Errickson vs Highe.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh—Walters vs Brown.

CATS 5; BUFFS 3

HOUSTON—(AP)—Old Beartracks Greer turned in his third straight victory of the Texas League season Saturday afternoon, scattering 13 hits to pitch the Fort Worth Cats to a 5-3 victory over the Buffs.

Ft. Worth	AB	R	H
Baron 1b	2	0	1
McDowell 2b	3	0	0
Abreu ss	3	1	1
Jeffries 3b	2	1	0
Cazen rf	2	1	0
Chatham cf	4	0	1
Dana lf	4	1	1
Linton c	3	1	1
Greer p	3	0	1
Totals	27	5	6

Houston	AB	R	H
Mrlaugh 3b	5	0	0
Antonelli 2b	5	1	3
Winsett lf	3	1	1
Cullop rf	4	0	1
Wyrostek cf	5	1	4
Cross x	0	0	0
Narron c	5	0	1
Angle 1b	3	0	0
Davis ss	4	0	2
Nowak p	1	0	0
Wilks p	1	0	1
Vezelich zz	1	0	0
Wachol p	0	0	0
Totals	37	3	13

x—Ran for Wyrostek in 9th.
xx—Hit for Wilks in 8th.

Fort Worth	002	300	000—5
Houston	011	000	100—3

Error: Cullop. Runs batted in: Narron, Baron 2, Winsett, Chatham, Greer, Wyrostek. Two base hits: Wyrostek, Baron, Winsett, Davis. Three base hits: Antonelli, Chatham. Sacrifice: Greer. Double plays: Nowak to Davis to Angle 2; Abreu to McDowell to Baron 2; McDowell to Abreu to Baron; Davis to Antonelli to Angle. Bases on balls: Nowak 5, Greer 5, Wilks 3. Struckout: Geer 4, Wilks 1, Wachol 1. Innings pitched: Nowak 3 (none out in fourth) with three hits, 3 runs; by Wilks 5 with 3 hits, no runs. Losing pitcher: Nowak. Left on bases: Fort Worth 4, Houston 2. Umpires: Naylor, Williamson and Boggess. Time: 1:35.

EXPORTERS 10; REBELS 1

BEAUMONT— (AP) —Les Mueller scattered nine hits up and down the Dallas batting order Saturday and the Exporters defeated the Rebels handily in the series opener 10 to 1.

The same clubs play a double-header Sunday afternoon.

Dallas	AB	R	H
Levey ss	2	0	0
Winburn ss	3	0	1
Adair 2b	1	0	0
Rigby 2b	2	0	0
Trent cf	4	0	0
Pucinelli rf	1	0	0
Mort 1b	3	1	2
H. B. Lee lf	4	0	1
Clard 3b	4	0	1
Cronin c	4	0	2
Touchstone p	0	0	0
Pintar p	1	0	0
Humphrey p	2	0	1
x Savino	1	0	1
Totals	32	1	9

Beaumont	AB	R	H
Korte ss	3	2	1
Lilly 2b	5	1	2
Harris rf	4	2	1
Franklin 3b	3	0	0
St'divant 1b	4	1	2
Patrick cf	4	2	2
Carter lf	4	0	2
Hinkle c	4	1	1
Mueller p	3	0	1
Totals	34	10	12

x—Batted for Humphrey in 9th.

Dallas	010	000	000— 1
Beaumont	421	300	00x—10

Runs batted in: Lilly, Harris, Franklin, Sturdivant 3, Patrick, Carter, Cronin. Earned runs: Beaumont 8, Dallas 1. Two base hits: Patrick, Mueller, Winburn. Bases on balls: off iPntar 2, Humphrey 1, Mueller 5. Struck out: by Pintar 2, Humphrey 2, Mueller 8. Pitchers' statistics: 4 hits 4 runs off Touchstone in 2-3 inning, 5 hits 5 runs off Pintar in 2 1-3 innings, 3 hits 1 run off Humphrey in 5 innings. Double plays: Korte to Sturdivant, Korte to Lilly to Sturdivant, Wimburn to Rigby to Mort. left on bases: Beaumont 5, Dallas 8. Sacrifice hit: Mueller. Stolen bases: Patrick 2, Carter. Hit by pitched ball: Franklin (by Humphrey). Umpires: Fowler and Tongate. Erros: Adair, Cronin. Time of game: 2.05.

SCORE BOARD

TEXAS LEAGUE
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct
Fort Worth	6	3	.667
San Antonio	5	3	.625
Houston	4	3	.571
Beaumont	4	3	.571
Shreveport	3	4	.429
Dallas	2	3	.400
Oklahoma City	3	5	.375
Tulsa	2	5	.286

Results Saturday
Beaumont 10; Dallas 1
Fort Worth 5; Houston 3
Oklahoma City 6; San Antonio 1
Tulsa 4; Shreveport 3

Games Today
Tulsa at Shreveport
Oklahoma City at San Antonio (2)
Dallas at Beaumont (2)
Fort Worth at Houston

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct
Cleveland	2	0	1.000
Boston	3	1	.750
St. Louis	2	1	.667
New York	2	1	.667
Philadelphia	2	2	.500
Detroit	1	2	.333
Chicago	0	2	.000
Washington	0	3	.000

Results Saturday
St. Louis 11; Chicago 1
Only game played.

Games Today
Washington at New York
Philadelphia at Boston
Detroit at Cleveland
Chicago at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Cincinnati	2	0	1.000
Brooklyn	2	0	1.000
Philadelphia	1	0	1.000
Pittsburgh	1	0	1.000
Chicago	2	2	.500
Boston	0	1	.000
New York	0	2	.000
St. Louis	0	3	.000

Results Saturday
Chicago 4; St. Louis 3
Only game played.

Games Today
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh
St. Louis at Chicago
Boston at Philadelphia
New York at Brooklyn.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Milwaukee	1	0	1.000
Indianapolis	1	0	1.000
Louisville	1	0	1.000
Toledo	1	1	.500
Kansas City	1	1	.500
Columbus	0	1	.000
St. Paul	0	1	.000
Minneapolis	0	1	.000

Results Saturday
All games postponed, rain.

Games Today
Kansas City at Columbus
Minneapolis at Indianapolis
St. Paul at Louisville
Milwaukee at Toledo.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
Little Rock 6; Memphis 3
Only game played.

NEW TECH CAPTAINS

LUBBOCK—(AP)—Lonnie McCurry, a senior guard from Lubbock high school, and Tyrus Bain, a junior quarterback from Mexia high school, will co-captain the 1940 Texas Tech football team, Coach Pete W. Cawthon announced Saturday.

Mustangs In Second Win Over Baylor Bear Nine

DALLAS —(AP)— Brooks Atchison scattered five hits and struck out twelve Baylor Bears Saturday to give the Southern Methodist Mustangs a clean sweep in the two-game Southwest Conference series. The score was 3 to 2.

Sherman Barnes, also a tall right hander, went the route for Baylor and allowed only eight hits. Eight Mustangs fell victim to his fast breaking curve.

Joe Terry's knee was hurt in the sixth when Bianchi slid into third base and went ont of the game. The injury wasn't believed to be serious.

The box score:

BAYLOR	Ab	R	H	O	A
Harris lf	4	0	0	0	0
Richardson 2b 3b	4	0	0	2	2
Witt ss	4	0	2	3	4
Haley 1b	4	1	1	7	0
Radney rf	3	0	1	1	0
Terry 3b	3	1	1	1	1
Kemp 2b	0	0	0	2	0
Lummus cf	3	0	0	0	0
xx Willis 3b	1	0	0	0	0
Bryce c	3	0	0	8	0
Barnes p	3	0	0	0	3
Byrd cf	3	0	0	0	0
x Williams	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	2	5	24	10

SMU	Ab	R	H	O	A
Kilmer ss	3	0	1	1	3
Davis 2b	3	0	1	2	4
Riagerman cf	3	0	0	0	0
Bedsole cf	1	0	0	0	0
Keith 1b	4	1	1	12	0
Bianchi lf	4	1	3	0	0
Ramsey rf	4	1	1	0	0
Atchison p	3	0	0	0	0
Clement 3b	4	0	1	1	2
Aulenbach c	3	0	0	11	1
Totals	32	3	8	27	10

x—Batted for Kemp in 8th
xx—Batted for Lummus in 8th

Baylor	000	010	010—2
SMU	000	201	00x—3

Errors — Keith, Richardson, Witt, Barnes. Runs batted in—Bianchi, Clement, Harris, Radney. Two base hits—Bianchi, Davis. Three base hits—Witt, Haley. Stolen bases — Kilmer 2, Radney 2, Clement, Bianchi. Double plays—Richardson to Witt to Haley. Left on bases—SMU 8, Baylor 8. Bases on balls—off Atchison 3, Barnes 4. Strike outs—by Atchison 12, Barnes 8. Hit by pitcher—by Atchison (Barnes). Passed balls — Aulenbach 1. Umpires — Capps and Smith. Time—2:07.

Baseball Banter

By JUDSON BAILEY

NEW YORK —(AP)— The added fame that has come to Bo Feller for pitching the first no-hit no-run opening game in major league history nearly was Herb Pennock's back in 1915. . . People quickly forgot the "almosts," but Pennock, then a 19-year-old youngster still to become one of the great southpaws of his time, went until two were out in the ninth inning of the inaugural between the Philadelphia Athletics and the Boston Red Sox before yielding a scratch single.

In the first inning Tris Speaker of the Red Sox waited out a base on balls. After that nobody reached first until Harry Hooper came to bat with two gone in the ninth. . . He popped a looper just out of Pennock's reach. . . Larry Lajoe fielded the ball cleanly, but his throw to first was just too late to catch the runner and Pennock's chance at fame went fluttering.

Bulky Harris of the Washington Senators is telling folks here he thinks Al Hollingsworth will do his club some good. . . . The last time the Senators picked up a Dodger Cuastoff he turned into a 20-game winner: Dutch Leonard. . . . Jim Pofahl, the Senators freshman shortstop, is a flash at fielding but he was out of position often in Washington's test against the Yankees.

The New York giants as a club have a .195 batting average. . Frank Frisch wanted new faces in the Pittsburgh Pirates' outfield, so he made Paul Waner don spectacles on the playing field. . . Is this another case of American League superiority: Umpire Red Ormsby has 12 children and Umpire Bill Summers has eight. . .

The interference bad weather has given the major leagues in their first week for the last couple of years has made some of the club owners give serious attention to the complaints of Walter O. Briggs, moneybags of the Detroit Tigers, who wants the schedule shaved a week on each end.

Rainy Weather Hits Baseball Schedule

NEW YORK—(AP)—For the harrassed New York Giants the rain-squalls which swept Saturday's sports schedule awash were welcome.

At least, the Terrymen weren't subjected for a second straight day to the assaults of baseball's most rabid fandom—the Brooklyn bleacherites—and the do-or-die Dodgers in an encore of the fierce interborough rivalry that opened Friday with the Dodgers on the long end of a 12-0 score.

But to thousands of other athletes the storms which lashed the East, parts of the South and the Mid-West meant a day of enforced idleness that should have been marked by active competition.

Many baseball games were soaked out. Only two games in the majors were played—the Cubs and the Cards in Chicago and the Browns and the White Sox in St. St. Louis.

Joe Moore Grabs High School Title

DALLAS— (AP) —Joe Moore, Jr., of the Texas Military Institute, San Antonio, trimmed Jack Sellman of Houston, 7 and 6, to win the Texas High School golf championship tournament here Saturday.

Moore, who is state junior champion, shot a par 36 on the outgoing nine in the morning round to gain a four hole lead. His 37 on the incoming nine gave him a six-hole lead.

Sellman reduced this one hole by shooting a 38 to Moore's 39 on the first nine in the afternoon. They halved the 28 with bogeys but Moore took the next two with par figures as Sellman three putted both holes.

Longhorns Beat Texas Aggies In Conference Tilt

Steers Pound Out Seventeen Hits

COLLEGE STATION— (AP) —The University of Texas regained its winning ways Saturday, downing its arch rivals, Texas A. and M., 9 to 3, after suffering defeat for the first time of the season at the hands of Rice Institute Friday at Houston.

Johnny Hill, Steer first baseman, celebrated his return to regular duty by slapping a homer off Lindsey in the second.

The box score:

TEXAS A. AND M.	AB	R	H	O	A
Ballow, ss	4	0	0	1	3
B. Stone, 3b	5	0	0	1	4
Alsobrook, cf	5	1	2	1	0
Scoggin, lf	3	0	1	1	0
Rice, lf	2	0	0	0	0
Doran, c	4	0	1	7	0
Kirkpatrick, rf	3	1	2	1	0
Jeffrey, 2b	3	0	0	3	2
Henderson, 1b	1	0	1	3	0
Pugh, 1b	2	0	0	8	0
J. Lindsey, 2b	2	0	1	1	1
Stevepnson, p	0	0	0	0	1
L. Lindsey, p	0	0	0	0	0
Bumpers, p	3	0	2	0	4
Cooper (a)	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	37	3	10	27	15

*Batted for Ballow in 9th.

TEXAS	AB	R	H	O	A
Haas, rf	6	2	2	3	0
J. Stone, 2b	6	1	2	2	2
Pfeil, cf	4	1	0	4	1
Hill, 1b	4	1	2	7	0
Layden, lf	5	1	2	3	0
Moers, 3b	4	0	2	3	1
Croucher, ss	2	1	0	0	4
Everett, c	3	1	1	5	0
Deutsch, p	4	1	2	0	1
Totals	38	9	13	27	9

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Texas A. and M.	000	000	111—3 10 5

Errors, Moers, J. Stone, Doran 3, Jeffrye, B. Stone; runs batted in, J. Stone 3, Layden, Moers 2, Haas, Hill, Henderson, J. Lindsey, Alsobrook; two-base hits, Haas, Moers, J. Stone, Alsobrook, J. Lindsey, Henderson; home run, Hill; stolen bases, J. Stone; sacrifices, Hill, Croucher, Deutsch; double plays, Stone to Jeffrey to Pugh, Pfeil to Hill. Left on bases, Longhorns 11, Aggies 9; bases on balls, off Deutsch 2, Stevenson 1, Bumpers 4; struck out, by Deutsch 4, by Bumpers 8; hits, off Stevenson 6 hits, 8 runs, 2-3 innings; off R. Lindsey 4 hits, 1 run in 1-3 (none out in 2nd); off Bumpers 3, no runs in 8 innings; hit by pitchers (Everett); passed ball, Doran; losing pitcher, Stevenson; umpires, Tolar and Walsh; time of game 2:45.

Cadets First In Four-Way Meet

FORT WORTH—(AP)—The Texas Aggies, scoring heavily in the short races and the hurdles, captured a quadrangular track meet here Saturday. The Aggies scored 84 points. The SMU Mustangs were second with 43 points, while Baylor scored 27 and TCU 17.

The Cadets dominated the meet from the start when blond Alabama Smith won the century until near dusk when the Aggies' Red Cecil took the broad jump.

Two former conference shotputters, Jim Thomason '39 winner from A. and M., and Bob Cooke, '38 titlist of TCU were beaten in this event by the Baylor sophomore footballer, Jack Wilson.

The Hawser-muscled Baylor boy heaved the 16 pound shot 48 feet 3½ inches.

Gaunt Fletcher Gibson of SMU, a transfer from Michigan State, scored triumphs in the one mile and two mile events.

NO SOAP

LUBBOCK—(AP)—A reward seeker couldn't find Bobby Jones listed in the Lubbock telephone directory.

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Interpreting The War News

Was Hitler Forced?

Allied Troops Penetrate Norway, Join The Norse For Attack On Invaders

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press Staff Writer

What actually prompted Germany's invasion of Norway and Denmark remains as debatable two weeks after the fact as its effect on the trend of the Allied-German war.

Yet not only Franco-British war plans, but the policy making of those two major unknown quantities of the European equation, Italy and Russia, necessarily hinge as much or more on the way of that invasion as upon its immediate military, economic and political consequences.

The single, immediate military objective discernible in Norway for Germany is establishment of close-up air and submarine bases from which to harry Allied North Sea shipping. That would be a serious but not fatal blow to the Allies.

No Allied Loss

Diversion of the entire Scandinavian output of food and other supplies to German use is also a possible controlling Nazi motive. Yet loss of all Scandinavian supply sources cannot gravely complicate matters for Britain and France.

Nevertheless, to attain one or both of these ends—if not with more sinister purposes of launching "complete war" against England—Germany voluntarily stepped out from behind her westwall defenses, exposing herself to possible economic and military disaster in Scandinavia. Why?

From this distance, it seems explainable only by unknown factors within Germany.

With his forces marshalled compactly behind all but impregnable defenses in the west, Hitler had a chance to force a stalemate peace. A negative victory could have won the war for him.

That fact had worried the Allies. An offensive role, economic and military, was forced upon them.

No Nearer Victory

Invasion of Norway and Denmark does not bring Hitler perceptibly near a quick military victory. On the contrary, he has offered battle to the Allies in the open.

That prompts Allied hope that economic encirclement forced Hitler's hand within eight months. Future if not present shortages in Germany of such war essentials as food and oil, the Allies believe, compelled Hitler to strike for a short and bloody end of the war.

All told, potential debits for Germany still seem to off-set the visible assets of the stroke. Its cost to Germany already is heavy: a third of remaining Nazi naval strength, by Allied count; a battle front vastly extended in unfortifiable territory; exposure of Germany's iron ore sources in Scandinavia to the risk of complete stoppage.

Why did Hitler take the risk; and what do his cautious and highly trained military captains think of it? That is the greatest riddle this war of riddles has yet produced.

BIRTHDAY PARADE

OSLO—(AP)—German troops occupying the Norwegian capital paraded through Karl Johan street Saturday in celebration of Adolf Hitler's 51st birthday. The marchers included infantry, air force and navy units.

PRICE STEADY FOR CABBAGE

Movement Increases On Saturday

HARLINGEN—Reports of shippers from Edinburg to San Benito indicated that cabbage prices Saturday were holding around $20 to $25 per ton to the grower, according to condition.

The movement increased slightly from the Valley to 12 cars Saturday after having moved at the rate of 10 cars daily for several days this week. Alabama moved one car, California 21, Florida 67, Louisiana one, South Carolina one and Wisconsin a car of old stock to make a U. S. total of 110.

The Texas-Federal Market News Service at Weslaco reported the potato movement slowed down in the Valley with only 26 cars out Saturday as compared to 30 from Florida. The Valley movement is believed still to be suffering from a one-day involuntary digging holiday imposed by strong winds Thursday.

Potato prices were reported about the same as for the past week.

The onion movement out of Willacy county totalled only three cars Saturday, the total for the entire state being 41 cars.

Dinner Planned

Tourists Will Dine At Reynosa

McALLEN—Winter visitors will go to Reynosa Wednesday afternoon for a farewell dinner, leaving the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building at 5 p.m. Tourists from all over the Valley are invited to take part in the dinner.

The activities for the coming week will begin at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday with a bridge and Chinese checker game party at the tourist club rooms.

The tourist Spanish class will participate in drills in Spanish and Latin-American children will entertain with songs and dances at 7:30 p.m. Thursday. Friday the tourists will meet at the chamber of commerce for a tour to unvisited spots in the Valley.

Highway Men Elect Burton Dwyre Head

SANTA FE, N. M.—(AP)—The 19th annual convention of the Western Association of State Highway Officials adjourned here Saturday after electing Burton Dwyre, New Mexico state highway engineer, as its next president.

Holdover executive committee members included R. L. Bobbitt, Texas highway commissioner.

Amerada Profit Off For Period Of 1939

NEW YORK—(AP)—Net profits of Amerada Corporation and subsidiaries in 1939 totaled $1,230,764, or .56 a share on capital stock, compared with $1,634,486, or $2.07 a capital share, in 1938, A. Jacobsen, president, told stockholders in the annual report. Company produces and sells crude oil and natural gas in the midwest, southwest and California.

Last Of Dalton Boys Is Held In Stabbing

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Robert E. Dalton of Meridian, Miss., claiming to be the "last of the Dalton Boys," was held Saturday for the serious stabbing of Lee Meyer, 52, salesman of Tulsa, Okla.

Detective Captain Fred Williams said Dalton told him he stabbed Meyer, a stranger to him, "because he kidded me too much." The affray occurred in the lobby of a downtown hotel (New Orleans.)

GOP TO MMET

BROWNSVILLE—The Women's Republican club of Cameron county will be luncheon guests Monday at 12:15 p. m. at the home here of Mrs. Lena Gay More, Republican national committeewoman for Texas.

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POTEET AGAIN HEADS SCHOOL

50 Teachers Named To Factulty

MERCEDES—Headed by Ernest H. Poteet, who was named superintendent of the Mercedes public schools for the fourteenth consecutive year, 50 teachers of the local system were re-elected for the coming year. The educational system of Mercedes has gaind state-wide recognition and has experienced its greatest era of prograss under the leadership of Poteet.

Those who received contracts for next year are: Leon R. Graham, principal of senior and junior high; W. Edward Perry, principal of South Ward school; Wm. O'Hair, principal of North school; Mrs. Louie N. Shepperd, principal of Heidelburg; Miss Mildred Thames, director of cafeteria; Miss Louis Bell, mathematics; Mrs. Merle Blankenship, language arts; Mrs. Maymie Bryson, social studies; Miss Virginia Butler, Spanish; R. B. Caldwell, science and M. D.

Paul C. Campbell, Miss Amy Cornish, William Dudley, Miss Ruth Erwin, W. T. Gootch, Miss Leona Hawkins, Miss Margaret Malatt, Miss Maurine Phillips, T. Leroy Phillips, L. Schmalzried, F. O. Scroggins, Robert Taylor, Mrs. Kathryn Thompson, Miss Elizabeth Tidmore, Miss Alma Whatley.

Mrs. Bert Day, Mrs. Marcella Gooch, Miss Ala Mae Hudson, Mrs. Lellah Hood Lyle, Mrs. Leah Perry, Miss Wilma Lee Pope, Mrs. L. N. Rice, Mrs. Ray Trousdale, Miss Annalee Williams, Miss Grace Wright.

Mrs. Ruth Adams, Miss Edith Dilling, Miss Margaret Edwards, Miss Margaret Edwards, Miss Jacqueline Johnson, Adron Ming, Miss Beatrice Moye, Mrs. Lorene O'Hair, Miss Virginia Pile, Mrs. Sarah R. Ramsey, Miss Evelyn Roffe, Miss Marjorie Rogers, Miss Helen T. Stotler, Miss Annie C. Verser, Miss Ruth Eaton.

Miss Dorothy Costin, Miss Jane Didick, Miss Flossie Board, and Mrs. Thelma Council received contracts, but have made other arrangements for next year.

School board members who named the 1940-41 faculty are R. H. Kern, president; Nix Harrington, vice-president; Fred Johnston, secretary; J. R. Barry, B. F. Byers, Walter Hoekstra, and J. B. Taylor.

U. S. Aliens Claim Entry Was Fear Of Mexico Revolution

SAN DIEGO, Calif.—(AP)—Mexicans sentenced here for illegal entry into the United States were quoted by federal officers as being motivated in their rush across the international boundary by fear of revolution in their country.

Court Baliffs Guy Lidstone and Charles J. Irwin said that many of the 80 Mexicans who received jail sentences ranging up to four months, asserted that as soon as their terms were served and after their deportation to their homeland, they would try again to return to the United States.

Texas oilmen pay the entire cost of schooling for one-fourth the school children of Texas.

QUEEN



Miss Louise Bookout (above) was crowned Queen of Sports Friday night at the fifth annual sports coronation held at Santa Rosa's high school. (Staff Photo.)

Rail Warrants Plan Is Refused By ICC

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Interstate Commerce Commission refused Saturday to modify its plan of reorganization for the Missouri Pacific Railroad and subsidiary companies to provide for participation of present stockholders.

The road had petitioned for modification of the plan to include issuance of warrants entitling present preferred and common stockholders to subscribe for common stock of the new company.

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CULBERSON RALLY

HILLSBORO—(AP)—Hill county business and civic leaders plan to break crowd records May 4 with a a Culberson Day political rally honoring their former county judge, Olin Culberson, a candidate for the railroad commission.

New Cars Top Sales

DETROIT—(AP)—The Automobile Manufacturers Association reported Saturday that March retail sales of new passenger cars and trucks totaled 398,365 units, an increase of 20 per cent over the same unit a year ago.

McALLEN HOSPITAL PATIENTS

McALLEN—Among the patients admitted to City Hospital Saturday were: A. T. Moore, Mary Evelyn Olson, McAllen; Jeanette Vandenbark, Alamo; Mrs. Raymond Reeves, San Juan. Dismissed were Mrs. Fred Edwards and baby of McAllen.

Extra Session Call Urged By Thompson

AUSTIN—(AP)—Railroad Commissioner Ernest O. Thompson sent another letter to Governor W. Lee O'Daniel Saturday urging him to call a special session of the legislature for social security financing.

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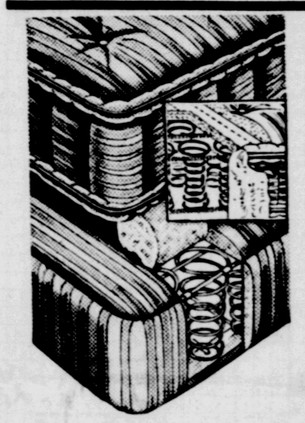


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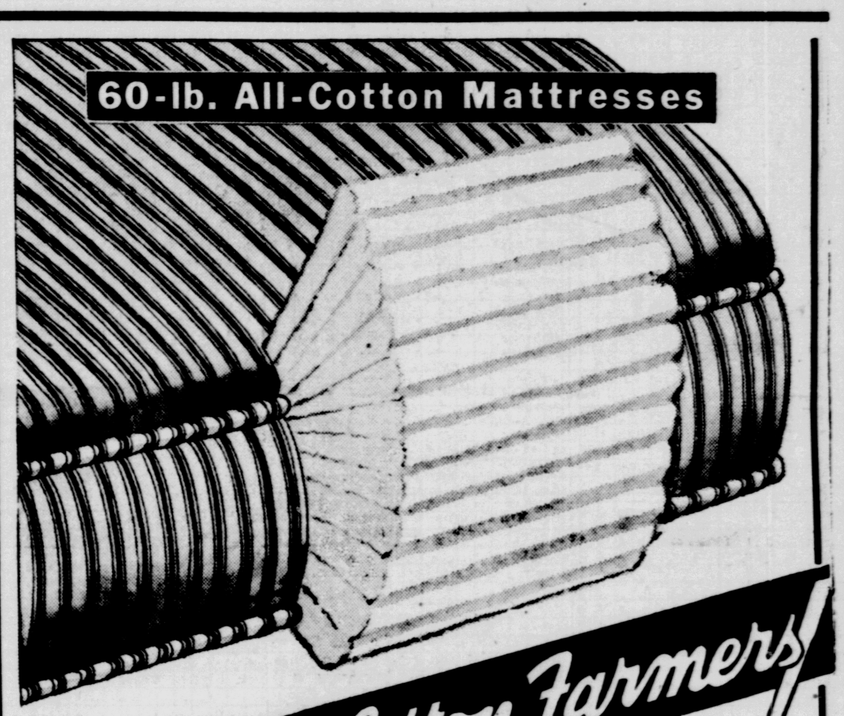
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Mrs. F. W. Youree of Corpus Christi, announced the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss Laura Katherine Youree, to W. H. Putegnat of Brownsville. The rites will be celebrated in Corpus Christi May 3. Miss Youree is a popular member of the Valley's younger set, as she has visited here frequently. Mr. Putegnat, a grandson of Mrs. J. R. Burton of Brownsville, is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Putegnat.

McFarlen-Nuckols Rites Celebrated In Setting Of Garden-Like Beauty

BROWNSVILLE — A garden-like setting provided the background for nuptial rites of Miss Billie Earlean Nuckols, only daughter of Mrs. Pearl Nuckols of Brownsville and Gainesville, to Michael Henry McFarlen, son of Mrs. W. J. McFarlen of Mertens.

The ceremony was read Thursday evening at 7 o'clock in the First Baptist Church, by the pastor, Dr. Charles S. Pierce. Filling the altar space were potted palms and other ornamental shrubs, and lighting the scene were myriads of cathedral tapers in floor candelabra of wrought iron. The couple pledged their vows beneath an arch of white lattice, interwined with lace fern and pink and white roses.

Arthur C. Hipp gave his niece in marriage. She was exquisite in a gown of white silk marquisette, made with a fitted bodice, sweetheart neckline outlined with white silk lace, and long, fitted sleeves finished with the lace. The lace was used on the skirt too, in bands, giving a flounced effect, and finishing the edge, which swept into a long train at the back. Her veil was of illusion, fingertip length, and caught to the head in halo effect, with the halo being outlined with real orange blossoms. Her flowers were orchids and bouvardia, tied with white satin ribbons. As a touch of sentiment, she carried her mother's wedding handkerchief of hand-drawn linen lace.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Harvey E. Nuckols as matron of honor, and by Misses Inez Brulay, Mary Patrick, Virginia Runyon, Lenore Yturria, Marilyn McAskill of Edinburg, and Bernice Kowalski, as bridesmaids, and by her cousin, Arthora Hipp, and Lucila Cisneros, as junior bridesmaids. The bridesmaids were gowned alike in frocks of white, and carried bouquets of red roses tied with white satin ribbons. The gowns had fitted bodices of white lace, made with short, puffed sleeves, and the sweetheart neckline, with the bodices ending in long points back and front over the extremely full skirts of white net. Tiny fitted caps of white net created the illusion of Dutch caps with the wide flat bow of white illusion at the back. The capes were topped with tiny nosegays of the red roses, with the exception of the matron of honor's cap, which was topped with white rose buds to match her bouquet of white roses, tied with red satin.

Best man to the groom was Louis C. Skipper, and groomsmen were Jack Majors, Emmett Bristow, Tom Barber, Charlo Jackson, Buddy James, and Harvey E. Nuckols, the bride's brother.

Kent Stratford at the organ played the traditional wedding marches for the processional and recessional, and before the ceremony played Schubert's Ave Maria, and Air, by Giordoni. He also played the accompaniment for Miss Elizabeth Canales who sang the pre-nuptial solo, Because, by d'Hardelot. Miss Canales' gown was identical with the bridesmaids, and she wore a corsage of red carnations. During the

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Betrothal Announced In Abilene

ABILENE—In Abilene today announcement is being made of one of the most important betrothals of the year, the engagement of Miss Patty Hanks, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Hanks, and Andrew Brackett Shelton, only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Shelton of Harlingen. The wedding will take place June 8, in a garden setting at the Hanks home, 898 Sayles boulevard, Abilene.

The romance of this young couple began when they were freshman students in Hardin-Simmons University.

Popular member of Abilene's younger set, Miss Hanks is a granddaughter of two pioneer West Texas families. Her maternal grandfather was the late Dr. L. W. Hollis, physician and surgeon, and her paternal grandfather, the late Rev. R. T. Hanks, who served as pastor of Abilene's First Baptist church in the early nineties.

The bride-elect's father is publisher of the Abilene Reporter-News and is intrested in newspapers in several other Texas cities.

After her graduation from Hardin-Simmons, Miss Hanks spent one summer in European travel, and in the summer of 1939 made a North Cape-Baltic cruise, visiting a number of towns which are now in the Scandinavian war zone.

Numerous parties are being planned in honor of Miss Hanks, first in the series to be held today when 26 of her young friends will be brought together for tea at the home of Mrs. R. L. Faucett. Monday at the Woman's Club, Mrs. Roscoe F. St. John will entertain 179 guests at a formal tea. Wednesday morning, Mrs. Fred W. Frost and daughter, June, will be hostesses for a coffee.

With arrival here in early June of Mr. Shelton, the party series will reach a climax in a round of affairs in which he will share honors with his bride-to-be.

Mrs. Baker Hostess To Twin-City Club

HARLINGEN — The Twin City Rook Club met at the home of Mrs. L. O. Baker Wednesday when a covered dish luncheon was served. Prize awards went to Mrs. Fred Houghtling for high and Mrs. Lula Palmer for low and Mrs. Philip Barnhart received the guest prize.

Out of club guests were Miss Ella Mae Pope, Mesdames Philip Barnhart, Lula Palmer, and B. J. Wagner.

Members attending included Mesdames A. A. Herndon, Aline Dodson, C. E. Turvey, Marie Byrd, A. W. Elmore, C. M. Koch, Fred Houghtling, W. E. Williamson, and L. O. Baker.

Federation Meets

BROWNSVILLE—Members of the Brownsville Federation of Women's clubs will meet Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for the regular monthly meeting at the First Presbyterian church.

Recent Bride Is Honored Guest At Tea

McALLEN — To honor a recent bride, Mrs. Bob Johnson, and Miss Effie Galbreath of Lyford, Misses Erma and Nora Wilmer, entertained about 45 of their friends at a tea at their home this week.

Mrs. Bob Johnson, a resident of Edcouch, is the former Miss Edith Lester.

Floor baskets of vari-colored gladioli decorated the hallway and the reception room where Mrs. Albert Hughes of Edcouch, Mrs. Robert Brough of Mission, Miss Herbert Senf and Miss Nora Wilmer received the guests.

Tea was served in the dining room where the table was centered with a colorful arrangement, using nasturtiums and blue larkspur. The centerpiece was flanked by two candles. The same floral color combination was repeated elsewhere in the dining room.

Mrs. A. T. Ray served the iced pudding with Mrs. Ida Mae Leach and Miss Erma Wilmer presiding at the tea services. The honored guests and hostesses were former college friends.

Leaders Honored With Luncheon

MISSION—Mrs. J. B. Challes of Harlingen and Mrs. O. O. West of McAllen were honorees for a luncheon Thursday at the Cactus Tea Room when officers of the Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary entertained. The courtesy followed a training school for officers which the two visitors conducted during the morning at the church. Mrs. Challes is district chairman of Presbyterian women's work and Mrs. West, immediate past chairman



Miss Frances Phillips, pictured at the upper right, is among the San Benito girl graduates sharing in the especially attractive round of pre-commencement courtesies. She is an honor student, having been named as valedictorian of her class. She is the daughter of Mrs. Frank T. Phillips of San Benito. (Teege Photo)

Mr. and Mrs. Ben T. Ezzell of Harlingen announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Frances, (presented in the center picture) to James L. McMillan of Pecos, son of Mrs. Lula L. McMillan of Thorndale, Texas. The weding will take place in early June. (Photo by Holbrook)

Extreme Simplicity To Mark Early Sunday Wedding Uniting Pair Widely Known In Valley

Helen Sumners To Become Bride Of Lenear McCall In Ceremony To Be Read Today

HARLINGEN — At 9:30 o'clock this morning at the family home, 101 Rio Hondo Road, Miss Helen Degge Sumners, youngest daughter of Mrs. Martha Florence Sumners, and Robert Lenear McCall of Corpus Christi, son of Mrs. W. B. McCall of San Benito, will pledge their marriage vows in a ceremony distinguished by extreme simplicity. Both are members of prominent pioneer families and their wedding is claiming the affectionate interest of an especially wide circle of friends. Lending added significance to the rites is the fact that the couple chose for their nuptial date the wedding anniversary of the bride's parents.

Stately white lilies, white gladiolas, and orange blossoms arranged throughout the home, have been massed at the fireplace to simulate an altar. Reflection of the pretty scene is held in the huge mirror above the mantel while at either side are floor candelabra with tall white tapers glowing above pedestal baskets filled with the long-stemmed white blossoms. Many other lighted candles about the living and music rooms accent the dignity and beauty that will attend the simple rites.

The double ring ceremony is to be used with Rev. Bolton Boone, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiating.

Preceding the ceremony Miss Elizabeth Challes will play Gounod's "Ave Maria" as a piano solo. The bride will enter with her brother, Dave Schuepbach, to the traditional melody of Wagner's "Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin. As the couple speak their vows, Miss Challes will play the muted strains of Cadman's "To a Wild Rose."

Miss Mary Jo Dunlap of La Feria is Miss Sumner's only attendant. Miss Dunlap's costume is a street

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Club Bases Study On Housecleaning

SEBASTIAN—Mrs. Elnore Watson and Mrs. Chesley McGothin were hostesses at the regular meeting of the Woman's Club Friday afternoon.

Roll call was answered by achievements. The program on "House Cleaning Made Easier" was by Mrs. Preston Densman.

Guest From Chicago

HARLINGEN — Mrs. R. B. Fuessle of Chicago arrived Friday for a visit with her brother, Frank Grimsell, and Mrs. Grimsell, 122 E. Lee Street. Mrs. Fuessle has just concluded a tour of the flower trails of the south being accompanied by her daughter as far as New Orleans.

Miss Dolores Stephens received a double set of honors recently, having been selected by the faculty of the Raymondville high school as representative to the D. A. R. pilgrimage to Washington. She was also selected by members of her class to represent them at the Sweetheart Dance held last weekend in Edinburg. Miss Stephens, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stephens of Raymondville, is a musician of considerable ability. (Photo by Holbrook)

Visit Taylors

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Patterson of Devine, Medina county, have been house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Volney W. Taylor at Quinta la Paz. Mr. Patterson was delegate to the Presbytery meeting from the Presbyterian church at Natalia.

TO MINNESOTA

COMBES—Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Reiff have departed for Minnesota where they expect to remain six months. They will stop in St. Louis en route.

Coterie Bridge Club Meets In Mercedes

MERCEDES—The Coterie Bridge Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. M. Joyce. The rooms were decorated with retama for the games which terminated with Mrs. Ben Tucker winning the high score prize.

A dessert course was served to Mesdames Tucker, P. W. Perkins, W. J. Copeland, Fred Brooks, Harold Stuart, E. H. Poteet and John Herndon.

Valley Women's Clubs Are To Convene In San Benito Tuesday

Attendance Expected To Exceed 350 For Day; Address Is Highlight

Waco Editor To Describe Impressions In Polish Capital On Eve Of Invasion

SAN BENITO—Frank Baldwin, Waco, editor will be the principal speaker for the 53rd semi-annual meeting of the Valley Federation of Women's Clubs to be held Tuesday, April 23, at the First Methodist Church. Mr. Baldwin's address "The Patch Quilt of Europe," will be presented during the afternoon session before the presentation of the long list of prize awards that will conclude the formal session. Anyone interested is invited to hear Mr. Baldwin's talk. About 350 women are expected for the convention.

After the convention ends a tea will be given by the six San Benito hostess clubs at the library honoring convention delegates and visitors. Luncheon will be served in the Methodist and Baptist church dining rooms and at the Stonewall Jackson Hotel. Special tables have been planned for the juniors and for art league members at the hotel.

Junior reservations should be sent to Mrs. Fred Booth, San Benito. Mrs. L. W. Pratt, luncheon chairman, is in charge of all other reservations.

Program for the day, arranged by Mrs. O. L. Byrd, local chairman, will be as follows:

Call to order.

Invocation—Dr. L. J. Rode, pastor Methodist church, San Benito.

Reading of minutes.

Report of officers: President, Mrs. O. E. Stuart, Harlingen; First Vice President, Mrs. O. L. Byrd, San Benito; Second Vice President, Mrs. Eugene N. Catlett, McAllen; Third Vice President, Mrs. Henry Lauderdale, Mercedes; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. E. Q. Farris, Mercedes; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Ruth Wyland, La Feria; Parliamentarian, Mrs. Volney Taylor, Brownsville.

Report of Committee Chairmen: Program, Mrs. Florence Scott, Rio Grande City; Publicity, Mrs. W. F. Gilbert, San Benito; Constitution and By Laws, Mrs. Lamar Gill, Raymondville; Historian, Mrs. Percy Herman, McAllen; Librarian, Mrs. John Prentiss, San Benito; Memorial, Mrs. Carl Schwedes, Weslaco; Educational Loan Fund, Mrs. J. J. Murray, Harlingen; Educational Loan Treasurer, Mrs. Henry Lauderdale, Mercedes.

Assembly Singing: "America," "Our Valley Home", Leader, Mrs. Orville Cox, McAllen; Accompanist, Mrs. E. R. Kennedy, San Benito.

Introduction of guests: Mrs. E. S. Lammers, Alamo, Hospitality Chairman, Mrs. Frank Baldwin, Waco, Mrs. L. J. Smith, Kingsville, Mrs. Volney Taylor, past president, Texas Federation Women's Clubs, Mrs. Percy Herman, first vice-president, Fifth District.

Report of department chairmen: Civic, Mrs. J. G. Perkins, Brownsville. Home Demonstration, Mrs. M. M. Walden, Mission.

Report of Art Chairman: Mrs. Clair Packer, Harlingen. Report of Art Clubs.

Report of Literary Chairman: Mrs. Floyd Langford, Mercedes. Report of Literary Clubs. Report of 5th District meeting, Mrs. Paul Greenwood, Harlingen.

Report of Junior Chairman: Mrs. Fred Booth, San Benito, Report of Junior clubs.

"Better Valley" Symposium: "Reducing Traffic Fatalities in Valley Grande," Capt. Glenn Rose, Harlingen, Texas Highway Patrol; "Tourism—A Growing Industry in The Valley," S. M. Patterson, Mission, president Valley Secretaries Association; "Voting—The First Step in Good Citizenship," Mrs. Florence Scott, Chairman American Citizenship Committee, Texas Federation Women's Clubs; "Public Health—Cancer Control in South Texas and the Valley," Dr. Dudley Jackson, San Antonio.

NOON

Luncheons at Methodist and Baptist Churches.

Art Exhibit, Methodist Church.

Junior luncheon program, Stonewall Jackson Hotel.

Theme, "Valleyana", (2 minute talks): Presiding, Mrs. Fred Booth, Junior Chairman; "Charro Days," Mrs. Jack Wiech, Jr., Self Culture Club, Brownsville; "Armistice Week," Mrs. Leonard March, Jr., Culture Club, San Benito; "Valley Mid Winter Fair," Mrs. Norman Clark, Afflatus Club, Harlingen; "Weslaco Birthday Party and Flower Show," Junior Literary Review Club, Weslaco; "Pioneer Days," Diversity Club, Rio Grande City; "The Bougainvillea Trail," Mrs. Gray McCullah, Jr., Study Club, Harlingen; "Fine Arts in the Valley," San Juan Junior Music and Dramatic Art Club, San Juan; "Public Libraries," Miss Ruth Thornton, Sorosis Club, La Feria; "Traffic Control," Bonnye Ruth Whitworth, Jr., Fine Arts, Harlingen.

AFTERNOON

One Thirty O'Clock

Report of Music Chairman: Mrs. Orville I. Cox, McAllen. Report of Music Clubs.

Organ and piano duet, "Grand Aria," Demarest, Mrs. H. V. Gordon, San Benito, Mrs. A. J. Moore, San Benito.

Address: "The Practical Use of Art and Artistic Principles in the Home," Mrs. L. J. Smith, Kingsville.

Brief talk: "Country Libraries," Dorothy Journey, Texas Library Association, Austin.

Music: A Cappella Choir presented by Edward Hatchett, director of music, San Benito High School.

Address: "The Patch Quilt of Europe," Frank Baldwin, editor Waco News-Tribune Herald, Waco, Texas. Questions from floor.

New business.

Announcements.

Report of Resolution Chairman, Mrs. Charles E. Thompson, Edinburg.

Prize awards to be made immediately before the close of the afternoon session include:

Prize given by Mrs. Leon Brown Mission, for best delivered report without manuscript.

Effa Stark Sanders Art Award given by Mrs. Clair Packer, Harlingen.

Art award given to literary or civic club having the best planned program on art given by Mrs. Clair Packer, Harlingen.

Prize for junior club showing the most achievement given by former junior chairman, Miss Lila Dyer, La Feria.

Prize for junior club having largest attendance at junior luncheon given by former junior chairman, Miss Ruth Voight, Sinton.

Award for best program on American folk music to be given by Mrs. Orville I. Cox, McAllen.

Prize for best year book given by Mrs. Floyd Langford, Mercedes.

Third annual presentation of Valley Morning Star silver bowl award by Minnie Gilbert.

Report of credentials chairman, Mrs. R. A. Dennison, Weslaco, and benediction by Mrs. E. C. Phillips, Pharr, chaplain, will end the session.



Presidents of the six hostess clubs for the meeting of the Valley Federation in San Benito Tuesday are presented in the photo above as follows: Mrs. L. W. Pratt, What to Read Club, Mrs. Charles E. Barber, Women's Culture Club, Mrs. Charles Robinson, Learners Club, Mrs. J. E. Thompson, Athenian Club, Mrs. Neely Newman, Junior Culture Club, and Mrs. R. J. Bohner, Aurora Club. (Photo by Holbrook)

Junior Service League Dance At McAllen Draws 200 Valley Couples

McALLEN—Under a semi-tropical Valley moon, 200 couples thronged the Casa de Palmas Hotel patio and air-conditioned Spanish Room Friday night to enjoy the Junior Service League's annual spring dance.

Dancers danced for a worthy cause, since all proceeds went to the McAllen Child's Clinic, one of the outstanding League's projects, undertaken about a month ago.

Mack Rogers and his band from San Antonio played from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. while a constant whirl of dancers provided bright spots of color in the moonlit patio.

Brilliantly colored bouquets of retama banked the orchestra pit whose background was a mass of potted palms. In urns, baskets and vases elsewhere in the patio were large bouquets of snapdragons and roses mingling with the blossoming retama branches.

The women's frocks provided the rest of the picture for one of the most successful events ever staged by the League.

The dance was the final note on a two-event social calendar for which the League was hostess this week. Thursday the members entertained over 100 women at a coffee at the hotel. After enjoying the coffee the guests were taken on a tour of inspection of their community house, another of their worthwhile projects, where weekly on Saturdays underprivileged children of the city are taught sewing, cooking and handicraft.

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model in heaven blue silk jersey. Her accessories are navy and her corsage is fashioned of iris and sweetheart roses.

The bride is wearing a smart spring redingote, the dress being of navy and white silk print worn with a light coat of navy wool. Her accessories are navy and she will carry a handmade handkerchief of point lace which her sisters carried at their weddings. Gardenias and orange blossoms form her corsage.

Attendant for the bridegroom will be his brother, Ware McCall of San Benito.

Only members of the families and a few close friends will be present for the ceremony and the wedding breakfast. Bridal white is repeated in the table, the chosen blossoms being used for centerpiece and the tiered cake made in the shape of a wedding ring embossed in white. Mrs. C. W. G. Stevenson of Toronto, Canada, sister of the bride, will pour coffee and Mrs. William Bishop Clements of Edinburg, sister of the bridegroom, will serve the cake. Assisting in the dining room will be Miss Josephine Rodgers, Miss Ida Campbell, and Mrs. E. C. Daniels, Houston.

Miss Frances Kaufman is to have charge of the guest book.

The couple will leave shortly after the ceremony for a wedding trip to Monterrey and other points in Mexico. They will establish a home in Corpus Christi where Mr. McCall has been in business the past few years.

The bride, a favorite with the younger social set of the Lower Valley, attended Southern Methodist University in Dallas and is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority. Her family has resided in Harlingen 21 years.

Out of town guests for the wedding included Mrs. C. W. G. Stevenson of Toronto, Canada, sister of the bride; her aunts, Mrs. C. L. Joyce, Mrs. J. W. Halsell, and Mrs. C. A. Reed of Dallas, and Mrs. H. W. Jones of Garland; Miss Mareta Joyce of Dallas, a cousin; Mrs. E. C. Daniels of Houston, Miss Josephine Rodgers of Corpus Christi, Miss Angela Murray of San Antonio, and Mrs. Everett Love of Laredo, sister of the bridegroom, and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Lovelady of Corpus Christi.

Convention Events Told

HARLINGEN—Resume of events of the annual convention of the Texas Federation of Garden clubs held recently in Temple and round-table discussion of seasonal gardening practices occupied Garden Club members at their Thursday meeting. Highlights of the state meet were reported by Mesdames O. E. Stuart, Charles Simmons, H. E. Day, and J. W. Wade. Mrs. N. B. Lackland, who also attended the conclave, is out of the city.

Next state meeting is to be held in the Valley with the assembly meetings of the federation in Harlingen.

Delegates were named to the Valley Federation of Women's club meeting in San Benito Tuesday as follows: Msdames H. C. Ware, Marie Grapperhaus, and W. E. McWilliams. Alternates are Mesdames George Crum, A. J. Pollard and May Foster.

Work meetings to complete costumes the club is making for the junior high school May fete were discussed and it was voted to ask mothers of children participating to assist with the handwork. Mothers and others who can help are asked to meet at the home of Mrs. O. E. Stuart, club president, in the evenings or to make arrangements by phoning her at 1191.

Calendar

McALLEN

MONDAY

8:00 a.m. Miss Sara Chidlow will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

3:00 p.m. The McAllen Literary Club will meet with Mrs. O. O. West.

2:00 p.m. The Rio Grande Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will have their annual guest night dinner at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

8:00 p.m. An obligation service will feature the meeting of the McAllen chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star at the Masonic Temple.

Tuesday

8:00 p.m. Mss Elizabeth Anderson will be hostess for the Nu Phi Mu sorority meeting.

8:00 p.m. The McAllen Business and Professional Women's Club will meet for dinner at the Casa de Palmas Hotel. Mrs. Zeldo Haston is in charge of the program.

WEDNESDAY

8:00 a.m. Mrs. C. J. Cochrane will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

1:00 p.m. Chapter F, P.E.O., will meet for a box luncheon at the home of Miss Leta Schwingel.

3:00 p.m. Mrs. H. B. Glendenning will be hostess for the McAllen Study Club.

FRIDAY

8:00 a.m. Mrs. Charles Herndon will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

12 noon Members of the Valley Matrons Club will meet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel for luncheon.

3:00 p.m. Mrs. W. Southwell will be hostess to the Priscilla Club.

SATURDAY

Junior Service League members will work at the Community House include: Mesdames J. K. Boettger, H. Roy Graham, Harry Pederson, Robert Elmore and Miss Sara Chidlow.

Mrs. Nuckols Goes

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Pearl Nuckols returned Friday morning to Gainesville after spending the past two days here while she attended the wedding of her daughter, Miss Billie Nuckols to Michael Henry McFarlen.

To Salvador

BROWNSVILLE—Louis C. Skipper returned Friday morning to San Salvador where he is stationed temporarily, after spending the past several days here. He was best man in the McFarlen-Nuckols wedding Thursday.

Tea Shower Prenuptial Courtesy

HARLINGEN—Adding another to the series of prenuptial hospitalities honoring Miss Virginia Hamner, Misses Marian Barg and Margaret Hagedorn of San Benito entertained with a tea shower Saturday from four to six o'clock at 122 E. Lee Street in Harlingen. Lovely roses were used throughout the rooms.

The honoree, dressed in all white, and the hostesses, Miss Barg in a frock of soft blue cotton sheer and Miss Hagedorn in white linen, received the guests. Their corsages and those worn by members of the house party were of varicolored sweetpeas.

Roses and white gladiolus were combined in a lovely arrangement to center the refreshment table which was lighted by white tapers in crystal holders. Tea dainties repeated the pink and white theme.

Miss Mahala Hamner, sister of the honoree, was in charge of the attractive guest book. The many attractive shower gifts were displayed on tables in the sunroom where roses lent added charm.

Assisting in hostess duties during the hours of receiving from four to six o'clock, were Misses Ivey Boone, Lillian McInnis, Ida Ruth King, Irene Peek, and Louise White, and Mrs. George Beck. Guests numbered about one hundred.

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ceremony. Mr. Stratford played very softly Liebestraum, by Liszt.

The bride's mother, who arrived Wednesday for the ceremony from Gainsville, was especially handsome in a gown of aqua blue chiffon. The bride's grandmother, Mrs. W. D. McBryde, wore white crepe. Mrs. McFarlen, mother of the groom wore a becoming gown of pale pink lace, and Mrs. R. C. Chandler of San Angelo, sister of the groom, wore chartreuse lace. Mrs. Hipp was in white starched lace. All wore pretty corsages in the spring shades.

Immediately following the wedding there was a reception at the home of the bride. Here the pink roses and fern had been banked along the mantel in the living room.

The bride cut the first slice of the cake, which was a huge, square confection in five graduated tiers, centering the table in the dining room. The cake was topped with a miniature bride and groom standing beneath an arch of flowers, and was embossed with roses and calla lilies, and lovebirds in the bridal motif. Mrs. Hipp served the cake.

Assisting about the home were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McCormick, Dr. and Mrs. Roy F. Breeden, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert D. Seago, and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. McFarlen left soon afterwards for a motor trip to New Orleans, Louisiana, and a leisurely tour up the east coast to New York. Upon their return in a month, they will be at home in the Snoeberger apartments on the Military road.

Mrs. McFarlen is traveling in a frock of navy blue triple sheer made on princess lines, with the collar of white being made of embroidered batiste and lace. The costume is completed with a coat of light-weight navy wool, made also on princess lines, and finished with collars and cuffs of white embroidery. Her accessories were of azalea rose, and she wore orchids in corsage.

Meeting To Claim Special Interest

HARLINGEN—Report of the recent conference will be held at the meeting of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service Tuesday at 3 p.m. at the church. Also promising particular interest will be the guest group of Junior Americans, a project sponsored by one of the circle groups.

Honored



Mrs. Howard Parsons was honored recently by members of the Brownsville Business and Professional Women's club when they presented her with a farewell gift. Mrs. Parsons, who has been an active member of the club, leaves Brownsville in May with Mr. Parsons for Muskegon and Ann Arbor Michigan. The pair will make their home in Ann Arbor.

Vows Are Spoken By Valley Couple In Sunday Rites

HARLINGEN — Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mooney announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Noveliene May, to Layton Wilder, the ceremony taking place Sunday at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hencerling, 103 E. Wilson Street in Finwood Heights. Rev. E. A. Wolf, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, performed the ceremony.

Miss Inell Rushing attended the bride and M. Smith of McAllen was best man for Mr. Wilder.

For her wedding Miss May wore a smart street frock in dusty rose, the bodice being made of all-over lace. Her corsage was of sweetheart roses and her accessories were white.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Maddy, Raymondville, Pat Rodgers, Brownsville, and Shorty Jackson, McAllen, and Eddie Hencerling, Miss Carrie Reed, Wayne Reed, Harlingen.

Attend Music Meet

ALAMO—Among Valley women attending the annual convention of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs at Waco at the weekend are Mrs. J. S. Roe, Alamo, and Mrs. Orville I. Cox, McAllen. Mrs. Roe is president of the Eighth District of the state association which embraces the Valley area. Mrs. Cox was elected state recording secretary at the Waco meeting.

Recent Bride Honor Guest In McAllen

McALLEN—Three hostesses honored Mrs. Flo Westfall, the former Miss Jari Nelson, with a coffee and linen shower Thursday morning.

Hostesses were Mrs. Lloyd Bentsen, Mrs. Elmer Bentsen and Mrs. R. L. Delp.

The shower, attended by a number of the bride's close friends, was given at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Bentsen.

Preceding the presentation of a score of lovely gifts to the new bride was a brief program during which Betty Bentsen gave a reading and Miss Doris Leffler sang several nuptial songs, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Elmer Bentsen.

The honored guest was presented her gifts in a large colored parasol by young Betty Bentsen.

Sentiment surrounded the coffee table service used for the occasion. Mrs. Westfall's father, J. C. Nelson, was the donor of the china which was used as serving plates. The dishes which had been given Mrs. Lloyd Bentsen by Mrs. Nelson had been used by every president of the United States from the time of Abraham Lincoln to Warren G. Harding. The egg-shell thin china is beautifully embossed with gold.

Mrs. Peter Bentsen poured while Mrs. Nolie Nelson, Mrs. Westfall's aunt, served the large two-tiered embossed bridal cake which was surrounded by a circle of pink rosebuds. The same flowers centered the coffee table. Elsewhere in the house gladioli were used.

Among those present were Mrs. M. Brewer, Mrs. Alton Bentsen, Mrs. A. A. Bentsen, Mrs. Peter Bentsen, Mrs. Roy Sloan, Mrs. Pierre Tartoue, Mrs. Lawrence Slavata, Mrs. Nolie Nelson, Mrs. Weden, Mrs. N. E. Buescher, Mrs. Jack Harrop, Mrs. Clark Norton, Miss Duke, Miss Leffler and Miss Lucille Smitham besides the honored guest and hostesses.

Mrs. F. R. George Entertains Club

MERCEDES—Mrs. F. R. George was hostess to her Crystal Bridge Club at her home Wednesday afternoon. In games of contract Mrs. Dewey Acker received the club prize.

A sweet sourse was served to the guests, Mrs. Tommye Steer, Mrs. T. J. Rippert and to members, Mesdames E. Q. Farris, C. J. LeBlanc, W. R. Hoover, H. L. Schmalzried, and Woody Tullis.

Officers Elected By Mercedes Club

MERCEDES — Mrs. Leah Perry was re-elected president, Mrs. Artie Sugg, vice-president, and Mrs. Myrtle Lee, secretary of the Business and Professional Women's Club Tuesday night at the apartment of Mrs. Fern Guardia. The newly named treasurer is Mrs. Edna Ferrier.

DAR To Have Guest Night

McALLEN—Superintendent R. P. Ward of the Edinburg Junior College will be the principal speaker Monday night when members of the Rio Grande Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution hold their annual guest night dinner at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

Supt. Ward will speak on the "Continued Cultural Revolution in America" for the dinner at which husbands of the members will be honored guests.

Also scheduled to appear on the program are Miss Mary Virginia Polk and Miss Daisy Ellen Polk, both of Pharr, will perform with piano and vocal selections respectively.

Those who plan to attend the dinner are asked to make their reservations at the hotel before noon Monday.

Ramseys Away

LOS FRESNOS — Rev. and Mrs. Bradford Ramsey are away for a ten days revival meeting at La Ward where Rev. Ramsey's father is pastor of the Baptist church.

Valley Hotel News

Walter (Curly) Bryan, clerk at the Cortez Hotel in Weslaco has acquired a baby bob-cat, answering to the name of 'Nick.' Nick enjoys riding on the elevator at the Cortez, but last week he was cured for once and for all. He fell through the shaft, four floors and into the basement. When fished out, it was found he suffered only a broken leg. Rushed to a doctor (an M.D. at that) Nick was bustled into a plaster cast and now hobbles around on three legs, and doing quite well, thank you. Nick had his picture taken and Ripley is going to hear of his spectacular fall.

The Arizonans, harmony trio appearing nightly at the Cabana, the Valley's ultra-smart night club, have been dubbed the "Sarahzonians," due to their excellent rendition of that popular tune, "Sarah." Bob Smith, the singing bartender, and the "Sarahzonians" have worked up a novelty number, using a number of bottles to pick out a tune with. Bob Smith says he's got some new sheet music and has learned some late numbers.

Mrs. Dee, manager of the Donna Hotel had some visitors from Kansas City last week. A number of hotel men dropped in on her, and meticulous Mrs. Dee was caught in a house dress. "I didn't even have time to put on my Sunday 'black'," Mrs. Dee apologized. But with all the remodelling going on at the Donna, its a wonder Mrs. Dee wasn't caught in a pair of overalls—which she admits furtively, that she has. The Donna Hotel is going to have a new coffee shop, seating some 30 to 40 patrons. —Adv.

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At Home Compliments Two Clubs

Mrs. L. R. Wasson Hostess Saturday

SAN BENITO — A delightfully informal courtesy of the weekend was at the home arranged Saturday at four o'clock by Mrs. Leon R. Wasson at her country home. Mrs. Wasson, who is an honorary member of the Aurora Club, having served as sponsor, invited as her guests members of the Aurora club and of the Junior Fine Arts Club of Harlingen.

Yellow retama blossoms accented by the vivid orange of pomegranate blooms made bright color harmony in the reception rooms which were also decorated with lilies from the hostess' garden.

Introduction of guests through a unique "census taking" skit was followed by the awarding of prizes for the most clever "census" report and the doghouse for those refusing to answer queries.

The hostess presented a wooden binder to the secretary of each club to hold the organization's record book. Ice cream pies and tarts were served in the dining room and plate favors were nosegays of spring flowers. Punch was served throughout the afternoon in the living room.

Assisting Mrs. Wasson in hostess duties were her daughter, Mrs. Art Huddleston of Harlingen, and Mrs. Robert S. Bone.

Concert Set In San Benito

SAN BENITO—Presentation of a concert of Indian love songs, all compositions by Thurlow Lieurance will highlight Music Week observance in San Benito which is to be sponsored by the San Benito Music Club. Mrs. Charles Pester is president of the club.

The club's chorus, directed by Mrs. H. V. Gordon, is holding rehearsals regularly for the concert to be given Monday, May 6, at 8 p.m. in the First Methodist Church. Mrs. S. V. Neely will be at the piano and Mrs. A. J. Moore at the pipe organ. Supplementing the chorus and accompanists will be flute and violin obbdligatos played by young music students.

Opening event of Music Week in San Benito will be the traditional vesper service that will be held in the downtown park Sunday afternoon. All church choirs in the city will participate in the singing of sacred music.

Other events for Music Week will be announced later.

Mrs. J. P. Archer Guest Of Sister, Mrs. A. Kirby

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Alberta Kirby has as her guest her sister, Mrs. J. P. Archer, who has just recently returned to the United States from Cebu, Philippine Islands.

Mrs. Kirby went to San Francisco where she met her sister, and the latter's son, Dr. J. P. Archer, and Mrs. Archer and their two children. Later Mrs. Kirby and her sister accompanied the four to Omaha, returning to Brownsville from there. Dr. Archer will tour the Northwest, joining his wife and children in Oklahoma before coming on to Brownsville to join his mother about May 1. His mother will accompany them as far as Dallas where she will make her home in the future, and Dr. and Mrs. Archer and their children will go on to Chicago, where Dr. Archer will be stationed at the Marine General Hospital.

Methodist Seniors Honored By Banquet

SAN BENITO—A banquet was given Tuesday evening in the dining room of the Methodist church by members of the Methodist Missionary Society honoring twenty seniors who are members of the Methodist church.

Honorees were Robert Bone, Bobbie Harris, R. Lee Rode, Don Vantine, Doris Mae Andrews, Dorothy Jean Barber, Louise Carson, Sadie Lou Davidson, Blanche Gilbert, Ollie Lee Goode, Doris Heidland, Marie Ann Horkman, Joyce Littlepage, Martha Moses, Martha Plahn, Frieda Schneider, Betty Mae Smith, Eleanor Thompson, Madelyn Valentine, and Ehelyn Klepland. Special guests were Mrs. Annabel Buchanan, class sponsor, Grady St. Clair, superintendent of schools and Ty Cobb, Weslaco who was guest speaker. The table was decorated in the class colors of crimson and white and tall red tapers in crystal holders.

Miss Margaret Conrardy gave two readings. Marilyn Daughtrey and Louthan played a piano duet.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vick were in charge of games and contests.

Forty-five enjoyed this delightful courtesy.

Meet In Sebastian

SEBASTIAN—Mrs. E. L. Townsend assisted by Mrs. Ray Alexander was in charge of the mission program in which the book, "Give Ye Them to Eat" was reviewed at the regular W.M.S. meeting this week. Mrs. Dorothy Britt gave the devotional and Mrs. M. S. Wood and Mrs. Cruse Williams offered to prepare the Mothers Day program.

Murrays Visit

BROWNSVILLE—Judge and Mrs. W. O. Murray of San Antonio, formerly of Floresville, have been spending the past few days in Brownsville, attending the Presbytery sessions.

Mr., Mrs. W. T. Harvey Observe Golden Wedding At Ceremony, Reception



Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Harvey of Brownsville celebrated their golden weding anniversary with a service Friday evening at the First Baptist church, followed by a reception given by the WMS of the church. The Harveys, residents of Brownsville for the past thirty years, were married in Martindale April 19, 1890.

BROWNSVILLE—Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Harvey gathered at the First Baptist Church Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock for a ceremony at which the couple celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

The rites were read by Dr. Charles S. Pierce, pastor of the church, in a setting made pretty with arrangements of white blossoms, and golden tapers.

Kent Stratford at the organ played a musical prelude and two solos, "I Love You Truly," and "Love's Old Sweet Song," were sung by Mrs. Fritz Schmidt. Mr. Stratford also played the traditional wedding marches for the processional and recessional.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey entered together. Mrs. Harvey wore a formal gown of white lace, worn with a jacket, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses.

She was attended as matron of honor by her daughter, Mrs. D. McLendon of Pharr. Other attendants were Mrs. S. C. Tucker, Mrs. Gladys Riley, niece of Mr. Harvey, Miss Frances Ferrell, niece of Mrs. Harvey, Junior attendants were the granddaughter of the honored pair, Maxine McLendon of Pharr, and Helen Jean Russell. All wore formal frocks in pastel hues, and carried bouquets of harmonizing shades.

Best man to Mr. Harvey was Mr. McLendon of Pharr, and ushers were Ed McEowen, Jim Dunham, Paul Glenn and Harry Roberts.

Immediately following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey were honor guests for a reception held in the parlors of the church, given by members of the Women's Missionary Society of the church. Receiving the guests were members of the wedding party and Dr. and Mrs. Pierce.

The junior attendants were in charge of the white leather and gold bride's book.

About the rooms were bouquets of yellow flowers, and the same yellow blossoms centered the lace-laid refreshment table. The cake, a huge, square confection, was embossed in gold in the form of a yellow basket holding yellow roses. Cutting the cake after Mrs. Harvey had cut the first slice was Mrs. Tucker, and Mrs. Pierce presided at the opposite end of the table at the punch bowl. Yellow tapers in crystal holders flanked the center arrangement.

Throughout the evening, Kent Stratford and Mrs. David Joost played piano selections, furnishing a musical background for the affair.

All members of the hostess society, pretty in formal frocks, assisted in hostess duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey, who have resided in Brownsville for the past thirty years, were married April 19, 1890, in Martindale.

Trio Initiated Into Sorority

EDINBURG — Sonora Bryan, Gwendolyn Gohman, and Joyce Post were initiated into the Theta Gamma Gamma sorority in an impressive ceremony Wednesday night. The rites were observed in the community house which was dimly lit with candles and decorated with an abundance of flowers to stress the colors of green and gold.

Miss Marion Davis and Helen West gave the initiatory speeches with Miss Charlotte Tinkler, president, in charge of the initiation.

Delicious refreshments repeating the favored color scheme was served to Mrs. W. F. Tinkler, sponsor, the new members, and Dorothy Casberg, Jacqueline Powell, Martha Murphey, Jane Hearne, Dorothy Gohman, Marion Davis, Charlotte Tinkler, Bernice Douglas, Billie Jeane Roberts, Helen Frances Ramsour, Izora Tinkler and Helen West.

Quilting Is Held By Combes Group; Birthdays Noted

COMBES — An all-day quilting was held Tuesday at the Methodist annex, the group quilting the beautiful tulip quilt pieced and given to the Women's Missionary Society by Mrs. B. Q. Roller. A covered dish lunch was served at noon and a short business session held.

To honor the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Hugh Brazil and Mrs. T. J. Leyson, a social hour was enjoyed in the church parlors which were decked with pink Columbia roses.

Rev. Paul Weiss, in behalf of the group, presented a basket of lovely gifts to the honorees. Angel food cake and ice cream were served by Mrs. F. L. French, Mrs. Gus Elliott, and Mrs. Jeff Gilbert.

Present in addition to those named above were Mesdames W. Q. Adams, J. W. Norman, H. M. King, Pearce King, Mutt Collinsworth, E. B. Fly, Wm. Vandusen, Alvin Posey, Wilbur Staton, H. H. Mays, Bill Pitzer and R. Q. Adams and Mrs. Paul Weiss.

Dinner Compliment To Guest Group

RAYMONDVILLE—As a farewell gesture to departing guests Rev. and Mrs. M. C. Yeargan entertained at dinner on Thursday evening the relatives and friends of Mrs. A. C. Ware and daughter Miss Kay Ware, who left early Friday morning to return to St. Louis by way of New Orleans.

Cool green linens were used for the buffet table and the centerpiece was scarlet hibiscus in a shallow crystal bowl.

Two Are Hostesses For Alamo Guests

ALAMO—Mesdames Dales Knapp and Floyd Swallow entertained Wednesday with a luncheon and bridge at the Casa De Palmas Hotel.

The guest list included, Mesdames A. F. Taylor, Collin Vinsant, Tut Caddel, Darnell de Roulac, Elbert Jensen, Carl Drennan, Ira Sharp, Grant Montgomery, Allen Cox, Leonard Davis, John Jacobs, Henry Koch, Wm. Cloughly, Burl Stugard, E. E. Wagner, W. D. Whalen, G. L. Cowley, Herbert McMorries, Leonard Johnson, S. E. Hart, W. H. Howse, Dick Hodgson, C. U. Reed, C. H. Swallow, Constance Stensbo, J. C. McCreary.

High score prize was won by Mrs. Wagner, second high by Mrs. Whalen and bingo by Mrs. Caddel.

IN OKLAHOMA

COMBES—Mrs. W. L. Elliff and two children are visiting relatives and friends in Oklahoma.

Steak Fry Staged On Moonlit Lawn

RAYMONDVILLE—A moonlight steak fry was the unique way Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson chose to entertain guests on Wednesday evening at their pretty home in Lee Heights.

Honorees were Mrs. Ed Gundlach, Mrs. Lee B. Carr and Misses Margene Gunlach and Eloise Baute of St. Louis and guests were Mrs. A. C. Ware, Miss Kay Ware and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Goss. Following the gay informal supper table games were played indoors.

Hill Country Setting For Dinner Party

PHARR—Miss Margaret Hogan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hogan of Pharr, was co-hostess for a beautifully appointed pre-nuptial dinner party Saturday evening given at the Hotel Cibalo in Boerne, nestling in the picturesque hills of Bexar county. Co-hostess with Miss Hogan, was Miss Blossom Frederick of Brady, and the honoree was Miss Margaret McDonald of San Antonio. Miss McDonald's approaching marriage to Lieut. Bill Kieffer of Kelley Field, is of wide interest throughout South Texas. The bride-elect is a sorority sister of the hostesses, while the prospective groom is a West Point military classmate of Lieut. Samuel M. Hogan of Ft. Brown, a brother of Miss Hogan.

In keeping with the scenic beauty of the hills and historic little town, the rustic theme was carried out in every detail. Bouquets of wild flowers, with the symbolic bluebonnet predominating, formed the floral appointments. Plate favors were white gardenias.

The personnel included Margaret Hogan and Lieut. P. T. Preuss; Blossom Frederick and Lieut. H. C. Huglin; Mona McDonald and Lieut. F. P. Sturdivant; Lila Wintz and Lieut. J. H. Spangler; Janet Preston and Lieut. J. B. Herboth; Patricia Burns and Lieut. R. L. Snider; Lieut. and Mrs. F. J. Sawyer; Lieut. and Mrs. R. C. McBride; Lieut. and Mrs. J. D. Ryan; Lieut. and Mrs. Samuel M. Hogan; Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hogan; Margaret McDonald and Lieut. W. B. Kieffer. The honor guests have visited in the Valley frequently.

Miss Hogan will stop in San Antonio for a week's visit before returning to her home, while her parents and Lieut. and Mrs. Samuel M. Hogan will return to the Valley Sunday.

Oratorio Rich In Symbolism

HARLINGEN—Rehearsals being held regularly by the chorus that will present Haydn's "The Creation" as Harlingen's contribution to Music Week Sunday evening, May 5, declare the performance is the most ambitious ever attempted by a Valley group, excelling even the "Messiah" in exacting demands on conductors, soloists, and singers. "The Creation" as a whole holds a high place in musical literature.

It was composed by Joseph Haydn between 1796 and 1798 when he was a very old man but he spared no pains in trying to make it good enough, as he said, "to last a long time."

"The Creation" charms by its bright melody and sunny tone colors. The text was suggested by Milton's "Paradise Lost" and the basis for the whole story of "The Creation" is the book of Genesis.

The opening portions describe order and beauty emerging from chaos; the gradual clearing of the vast abyss follows; then the creation of the earth, sky, and light; at last come the fields, flowers and living beings.

David L. Ormesher is director for the Methodist Church choir which is augmented by members of the Music Lovers Club for the performance.

Kid Party Enjoyed By Club Members

HARLINGEN—A kid party was the very enjoyable event arranged at the home of Mrs. Vertie B. Engelbrecht Wednesday with Mrs. Manda Carey as co-hostess. Two new members, Mrs. Marie Miller and Mrs. Lena Schrantz were welcomed.

An entertaining program and contests marked the social hour. Additional amusement was afforded by costumes of members who were attired with little girls in short dresses and hair ribbons.

Sticks of candy and ice cream cones were served.

Valley Visitor Honored



Mrs. Howard L. Dunn of Dallas and Stigler, Okla., has been honored during her Valley visit with a number of informal courtesies. She has been the house guest of her aunt, Mrs. George Ely, and Mr. Ely in McAllen, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. England in San Juan, and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow England in Weslaco. Mr. Dunn has been on a fishing trip in Old Mexico and will join his wife in the Valley for a few days before their return home. (Holbrook Studio)

Visitor In Harlingen Is Guest Of Honor For Pretty Saturday Tea

HARLINGEN — Honoring Mrs. Lloyd E. Parton of Marlin, Mrs. R. B. Hamilton and Mrs. C. H. Hamilton entertained Saturday afternoon with a delightful spring tea at the latter's home. Mrs. Parton is sister and house guest of Mrs. C. H. Hamilton.

Floral setting and other appointments reflected a spring motif of pink and white accented with touches of green. Pink roses and pink and white gladiolas predominated in the profusion of pastel blossoms clustered about the rooms.

Greeting the guests were the honoree and hostesses. Mrs. Parton wore a formal costume of tan lace, Mrs. R. B. Hamilton was in embroidered organdy in an apricot shade, and Mrs. C. H. Hamilton wore a frock of pink chiffon and lace. Gladiolas tied with ribbons complimenting or harmonizing with their frocks formed their corsages. Mrs. Lydia Arnett, mother of Mrs. C. H. Hamilton, wore rose crepe and blossoms in a matching shade.

The tea table was especially pretty. From the oblong centerpiece spikes of pink gladiolas spread outward over the lace cover while white gladiolas rising toward the top merged with red roses interlaced above the pink gladiolas. Individual cakes embossed in white and decorated with pink rosebuds, served with punch and other dainties, repeated the chosen spring colors. White tapers in crystal holders flanked pink roses arranged on the buffet.

Mrs. E. C. Deering, Mrs. S. M. Harvey, and Mrs. S. G. Stringer alternated at the punch bowl and Mrs. J. J. Willingham, Mrs. James Koonce, and Mrs. Myrlin Johnson assisted in the dining room.

Others who assisted in hostess duties during the afternoon were Mrs. Hugh Ramsey, and Mrs. Douglas Carver.

A hundred guests were received during the afternoon.

Benefit Party Set

BROWNSVILLE—Club women of Brownsville and other civic organizations will stage a benefit bridge Saturday afternoon, May 4, for the N. Y. A. project for girls in Brownsville.

The affair will be held at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the project, 1022 West St. Francis street. Reservations should be made with Mrs. E. M. Dierlam, phone 922. Tickets will be 25 cents apiece.

There will be two attractive door prizes and prizes will be offered at each table of players also.

The event is being sponsored to raise additional funds for the project, which is being done partially by pledges from the clubs and civic organiztaions of Brownsville.

Ellis Perrys Hosts For Evening Club At Bridge Games

BROWNSVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Perry entertained members of the Evening Bridge club at their home Wednesday.

Guest players were Mr. and Mrs. B. B. McDonald and Mrs. L. Thurmond Kruger. In the games, Mrs. Krueger was high.

Others playing were Messrs. and Mesdames Fred Pilgrim, George Putegnat, M. P. Stephens, and Jack Wiech.

Class Has Party

COMBES — The Adult Sunday schol class of the Methodist church enjoyed a class party Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. A. J. Swope with Mrs. T. M. Cheatem, assistant hostess. After an evening of games refreshments were served.

Beeville Guest Given Coffee

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Sam Hill of Beeville, who has been the guest of Mrs. James L. Rentfro while her husband attended the sessions of the Presbytery, was named honor guest at a small coffee Thursday morning by Mrs. Rentfro.

Spring flowers were arranged prettily about the reception rooms of the home. Talisman roses, candytuft and larkspur in various shades, and red and pink roses formed the spring bouquets.

Greeting guests at the door was Mrs. Edward McChesney. Others assisting in the living room were Mrs. R. O. Mackintosh and Miss Florence Bell.

In the dining room, the coffee table was centered with talisman roses. Here Mrs. Thomas H. Sweeney poured coffee, and Mrs. A. K. Black served the tamales. Assisting in the dining room were Mrs. Walter M. Galloway and Mrs. Herbert L. Thomas.

Mrs. Hill has spent almost the entire week with Mrs. Rentfro. Mr. Hill, pastor of the Beeville church, was a delegate to the Presbytery.

June Bride Is Honoree

HARLINGEN — Miss Mildred Decker, whose mrariage to Fred Purvis of San Benito is to be an event of June, was honored with a pretty shower the past week with Miss Burr Dee Whitley as hostess. A pink and white color theme was carried out with individual rosebud corsages.

A refreshment course of cake and ice cream was served. Lettered on the embossed cakes was the announcement "Mildred and Fred, June 9th."

Guests included Misses Mabel Hitt, Bessie Gojdosik, Connie Ayers, Virginia Molder, Audrey Luther, Emma Lozana, Aubrey Hobson, Aileen Adams, Odethel Cummings, Eileen Armstrong, Mary Tanberg, Neva Belle Nale, and Dorothy Whitworth, Harold Crossett, John Quaintance, O. F. Shaw, W. McLamore, Firpo Harrison and Tony Soto, and Mrs. George Decker, mother of the honoree.

The hostess was assisted by her mother, Mrs. B. D. Whitley.

Children Honored By Birthday Party

HARLINGEN — Patsy McClellan and Terry Wood were honor guests Thursday for the monthly birthday party arranged by the Child Study Club for children of members whose birthdays occur in April. Hostesses were Mrs. E. B. McClellan and Mrs. Joe Wood at the former's home.

The little guests drew favors from a fish pond and were served ice cream with cookies.

Mrs. Schendel Directs Study

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. O. V. Schendel was in charge of the lesson at the Thursday morning meeting of the Alpha Study club at the home of Mrs. R. A. Hightower.

Mrs. Schendel gave a most interesting discussion on the life and career of Porfirio Diaz.

Fifteen members attended. The next meeting will be held in two weeks at the Hightower home.

FROM NEW YORK

ALAMO—Mrs. S. E. Hart came Wednesday from New York City to visit at the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Davis.



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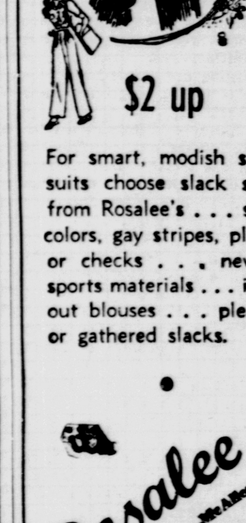
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This 'N' That

By Minnie Gilbert

NOW IS THE time for all good Valley citizens to come to the aid of Garden Club women in making this region a veritable flowerland next April for the meeting of the Texas Federation of Garden Clubs.

No better advertising in Texas could be desired than the enthusiastic praise of garden club delegates who usually are recognized authorities in their communities on beautification and gardening.

One excellent suggestion made recently is the scattering of bluebonnet seeds along the newly widened highway.

Completion of the highway widening should be finished in time for broadcasting seed and considerable replanting of the shrubs and trees lost in the widening project are needed.

But, unless every individual makes a special attempt to supply as many blossoms as possible next April, the Valley will miss one of its major opportunities for favorable publicity.

AND OF COURSE, emphasis should be on the massing of bougainvilleas, since the opening of the Bougainvillea Trail is the real reason for the convention coming to the Valley.

Garden club members are already busy with plans for a Valley-wide flower show that will undoubtedly set a new high for flower displays in this region.

An elaborate wild flower exhibit in conjunction with it is virtually assured.

And, it seems that colored motion pictures of wild flowers, so many of this region are not found elsewhere in the United States would make a hit with the visiting women.

Several Valley camera fans have fairly extensive collections of flower pictures, but it is doubtful if any single person has anything approaching a complete record.

By starting now with filming retama, wild poppies, bluebonnets and mountain laurel in bloom, a photographer could follow the native blossoms through the rest of this season and continue through next winter and early spring to present nearly every native blossom of particular interest or beauty.

THIS IS AN excellent time to leave the main highways for prowling excursions into by-ways.

By following routes leading into or through wooded tracts, one can usually find unexpected vistas of special beauty or interest.

One of the most picturesque lanes remaining in the Valley is the stretch leading from the old mission near Mission through the brush paralleling the railway for about a mile.

So dense is the growth that the branches almost meet overhead and sunlight is filtered onto the road in a lacy pattern.

The trees are unusually large and mostly anaqua and the prodigious crop of berries indicates the snowy anaqua blossoms must have made the road a sight to behold a few weeks ago—well worth a pilgrimage from nearly any point in the Valley.

THE SEASON'S most repeated fashion axiom—"dress for one man"—has been followed by most women and girls practically always.

Summer's silhouette has forsaken the much discussed and shortlived stemlined torso for mermaid curves.

And if it's any help, the models used in an aquarium setting in a New York City fashion emporium have bedroom eyes and garments are draped with generous decollettage.

THE WOMAN who does her own sewing or has a clever seamstress who can follow her designs probably will be tops with her wardrobe for the next season or so.

Clamor for custom-made clothes in New York is always creating quite a stir.

Just such a trend developed during the World War, it was learned through surveys made last summer by fashion experts seeking to determine the probable effect of the then almost certain European conflict upon the clothing industry.

Reports showed conclusively that the greatest era of home sewing in the last half century was recorded during the war years and right afterwards.

ANOTHER WAR trend that probably will develop soon will be interest in knitting garments worn by soldiers.

Because handknit clothes have been among the smartest in milady's wardrobe lo these past few years, knitting is not one of the nearly lost arts that women had to re-learn during the last war.

But lessons are needed even by the experts for turning out masculine apparel.

Susie Alsmeyer of Robstown (Mrs. Henry L., formerly of San Benito) is among the first to help form a knitting club. One was organized the past week by Legion Auxiliary members in her home.

STATE-WIDE recognition of the attainments of Valley music clubs can be claimed by virtue of the election of Mrs. Orville I. Cox of McAllen as recording secretary of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs.

Her selection took place Friday at the annual convention in Waco.

It's difficult to discover a statewide organization fostering the advancement of culture, education, or welfare in any field that does not have Valley representatives in the groups of leaders.

The old charge about "isolation" in the Valley is just about groundless now.

Bridge Hostess

ELSA—Mrs. C. C. Pickens entertained Tuesday at her home with two tables of bridge in rooms decorated with roses. High score prize went to Mrs. Mike Holmes.

San Jacinto Tea Event Draws Many

Jr. Self-Culture Gives Annual Affair

BROWNSVILLE — The annual San Jacinto tea by members of the Junior Self-Culture club was one of the delightful events of Friday, and was held between 4 and 6 o'clock in the patio of Landrum's.

The walled garden at Landrum's made an especially appropriate setting for the early spring event. Greeting the guests at the door were Mrs. Ben L. Brite, Miss Betty Rockwell and Mrs. Homer E. Watkins. Mrs. Brite wore a formal frock of apple green crepe; Miss Rickwell wore a flowered sheer, and Mrs. Watkins' dress was navy blue dotted Swiss, ornamented with white lace.

Presiding at the punch table, in one corner of the patio was Mrs. Jack Mace, in a frock of white dotted swiss, ornamented with bows of pink ribbons, and with the pink ribbons run through the lace at the waist-line. She alternated in serving with Mrs. Charles Mathers, whose shirt waist frock of white pique was worn with a waist of white cotton embroidered in red.

The tea table, in another corner of the patio held a bowl of red, white and blue flowers. Presiding here in the first hour was Mrs. George W. Putegnat, who wore a lovely frock of white net, with the waist being made entirely of rows of white lace. Presiding here too were Mrs. C. L. Robison, whose jacket frock of seersucker was in brown and yellow stripes, and Mrs. Milton Overstreet, whose gown was crinkled organdy in blue flowered design.

Assisting elsewhere were Mrs. J. Gordon White, in a shirtwaist frock of yellow crepe, with a waist of net white and lace; Miss Elizabeth Graham, blue cotton figured sheer; Mrs. John Van de Puttex, flowered chiffon with lavender taffeta Jacket; Mrs. F. Davis Cromack, thin blue cotton print with lace trim; Mrs Harvey E. Nuckols, white satin, with shirred waist and bodice; Mrs. L. Thurmond Krueger, American Beauty taffeta, with the jacket and bottom of her skirt banded with shirring; Mrs. Collis P. Perkins, pink sheer, worn with a jacket; Mrs. Jack Wiech, gay flowered cotton with a jacket of yellow linen; Mrs. Oran W. Neck, plaid taffeta in tones of Brown and yellow.

On one of the serving tables was a pretty arrangement of yellow cactus blossoms, set on a mirror reflector and surrounded with fern.

About 250 guests called during the receiving hours.

Library Aid Is Stressed

HARLINGEN—Plans for advancing their project of aiding the Harlingen library by soliciting and collecting books were discussed when the No Name club held a business meeting after a dinner Thursday evening at the Madison Hotel. Dorothy Thomas directed the business period.

Harlingen residents are urged by the club group to search their homes for seldom used books which would be useful to library users. Boxes have been placed in some of the stores for book contributions. Members will collect gifts of books if notified.

A related project is the collection of magazines which will be distributed to the library and to the hospital.

Dinner Is Surprise

ALAMO—Mrs. Connie Stensbo and Mrs. Sam Metz of McAllen, entertained with a surprise dinner party in honor of Mr. Metz Wednesday evening.

The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Reese, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. L. Myhtt, of McAllen, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gerber of Donna and Mr. Lee Hart.

To Give Review

HARLINGEN—Mrs. N. V. Sidener of Weslaco will give a book review at the meeting of the Child Study Club Thursday at the home of Mrs. J. C. Thrash. A luncheon will precede the review.

Twins Reunited By Visit



Twin sisters who were honored recently with a coffee of outstanding interest are presented in the photo above. Mrs. Ella M. Campbell of McAllen is shown left and Mrs. Emma K. Campbell, Cleveland, Ohio, right. The coffee was given at the home of the former's granddaughter, Mrs. George McCullough in Pharr, with her mother, Mrs. Walter K. Campbell of McAllen as co-hostess. Mrs. Emma K. Campbell left for her home Thursday.

Seated Coffee Friday Is Interesting Event

HARLINGEN—Claiming particular interest among events that have crowded the week-end calendar was the coffee given Friday from 10 to 11 by the Harlingen Child Study club at the home of Mrs. R. W. Frush. Special guests were members of Child Study groups from other Valley towns. Baskets of spring flowers were placed throughout the home, double larkspur and pink roses noting the club's colors of pink and blue. An especially attractive arrangement of blue, pink and white larkspur on the manel was reflected in the mirror.

Receiving the guests at the door with Hrs. Frush were Mrs. Glen Schuepbach, president, Mrs. E. B. McClellan, and Mrs. Joe Wood. Members of the hostess club wore spring printed dresses and corsages of spring blooms.

Mrs. Garvin Elrod played the Hawaiian steel guitar during the hours of receiving. A special feature was a group of songs by little Frances Dempsey.

Pink Columbia roses and candytuft tinted blue graced the coffee table which was laid with an exquisite cloth of grass linen. On the buffet was an artistic arrangement featuring floating waterlily candles their lighted wicks reflecting against the silver bowl and three silver deer standing in the shallow water.

Out of town guests included Mesdames F. C. Council, A. D. Hubbard, P. S. Brown, and Jack L. Page, McAllen; Harley G. Diehl, Glen Hoel, Claude Rogers, Weslaco; Eugene Robinson, Jimmie Nuchols, Wilbur Schreiber, and Carl Zeitler, La Feria; M. M. Martin, Paul Hill, H. C. Aldridge, and Blake French, San Benito; and Miss Virginia Ray Murphy, house guest of Mrs. L. E. Seligman.

Calendar

HARLINGEN

MONDAY

7 p.m. Harlingen Business and Professional Women's Club meets at the home of Mrs. Jim Ferguson for a covered dish supper.

10 a.m. Fine Arts Club meets at the Woman's Building for a called meeting.

TUESDAY

9 a.m. Valley Federation of Women's Clubs convenes at First Methodist Church in San Benito.

3 p.m. All circles Baptist W.M.S. meet at the church.

3 p.m. Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service meets at the church.

WEDNESDAY

3 p.m. Harlingen Fine Arts Club entertains with annual guest day at Woman's Building.

THURSDAY

3 p.m. Harlingen Study Club meets at the Woman's Building.

1 p.m. Child Study club meets for luncheon and book review at the home of Mrs. J. C. Thrash.

2:30 p.m. Stuart Place Home Demonstration Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Paul Davies.

To Carolina

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. Phil K. McNair have departed for a visit in South Carolina. They stopped in Dallas en route to visit a day or so with their son, James, who was entered in the Texas schoolboy golf tournament.

Guest Departs

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. A. S. Richardson of Houston, who has been visiting for several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Colgin, left for Harlingen for the Christian church convention.

Mrs. Alex Gerry Luncheon Hostess

WESLACO—Mrs. Alex Gerry entertained with the second of the delightful series of luncheons Wednesday at her home, Fiesta Courts, hostess at the Cedar Grill, with the Mexican motifs emphasized in the decorative motifs for the charming courtesy.

Guests In Mission

WESLACO—Members of the Firemen's Auxiliary who were guests of the Mission Auxiliary at the home of Mrs. Roy Gerner Tuesday night were Mesdames V. B. Ross, Lee Petitt, Kenneth Hixon, Cacil Holman Buster Black, A. L. Cartwright, Lola Doris Martin, Sylvan Johnson, Tillman Bagwell, R. G. Casey, Alton Archer and Roy Faris.

Supper Given For Guests In Willacy

RAYMONDVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Johnson entertained at a delightful buffet supper for the guests from St. Louis who are visiting Mrs. A. C. Ware, her mother Mrs. Lee B. Carr and friend, Mrs. Ed. Gunlach.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. D. Burton Rapp and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Glarner and Harry Ware.

Crimson roses in emerald green bowl with matching candle sticks and red tapers decorated the attractive table covered with a cloth of intricate lace pattern.

Guests were seated at quartette tables for the delicious meal with a service of handsome crimson and green glassware and each table was centered with a perfect deep red rose.

Distinguished guest artists made the Raymondville Woman's club program this week of particular interest. The fine arts program was presented under the chairmanship of Mrs. George Lochrie assisted by Mrs. Roger Robinson and Mrs. D. B. Rapp.

Mrs. Becca Van Kreveld Detert, Santa Rosa, former opera and concert artist, appeared wearing the costume of her native Holland and sang a Dutch song. She also gave a Japanese lullaby, an Oriental lament, and a Dutch love song. Mrs. L. M. Vigness, La Feria, was accompanist, and later in the program gave French and other numbers.

How the French government fosters the art of painting was told by Pierre Tartoue, celebrated portrait artist who is ending a Valley visit shortly to return to New York City. He was accompanied by Mrs. Tartoue and Carrol Tanner, McAllen.

Setting for the affair was a veritable art gallery, the walls of the club house being hung with paintings, the work of the Rio Grande Valley Art League of which Mrs. Lochrie is an active member. Palms and blossoms gave added beauty.

The table, gleaming with handsome silver punch bowl service and matching candelabra holding unlighted green tapers, was centered with a silver bowl of spicy petunias resting on a cloth of linen embroidered cutwork. Mrs. M. L. Deviney, president, poured.

Recent Bride Honor Guest

HARLINGEN—Mrs. Emmett Sullivan, formerly Miss Pauline Morgan, was honored Wednesday afternoon with a shower at the home of Mrs. Jack Choate. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Jack Choate, Mrs. T. J. Wallace, and Mrs. C. E. Morgan, mother of the honoree.

The rooms were decorated with spring blossoms in pastel shades.

Miss Essie Raye Choate, daughter of the hostess presided over the guest book.

Appropriate games were played with prizes being won by Mrs. George Wallace, Mrs. L. W. Stinebuck, and Mrs. Pat Haynes, all of whom presented their trophies to the honoree. Many lovely bridal gifts also were presented to the bride.

Attractive refreshment plates noting the spring theme were passed.

Present were Mesdames Erma Hurley, J. J. Harvill, M. W. Ritchey, Pat Haynes, George Wallace, R. H. Stolley, L. W. Stinebuck, V. L. Rapp, C. L. Adams, W. M. Smith, Browning Smith, M. B. Tarwater, C. H. Homerlock, H. Stolley and R. H. Stolley, Jr., of McAllen; Mrs. Alvin Nye and Mrs. Ida Nye of Raymondville; Misses Lena Mae and Georgia Wallace, Priscilla Stolley, Betty Jo Hokit, Velma Hurley, Essie Raye Choate, and the honoree.

Mrs. Grunwald Is Entertained

LOS FRESNOS—Friends of Mrs. James Grunwald recently surprised her with a miscellaneous shower at her home in Los Fresnos.

Those taking part in the affair were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Galleyn, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Greer, Mr. and Mrs. Shankle, Rev. and Mrs. Bradford Ramsey, Mrs. E. B. Palmer, Mrs. Carl Leeper, Mrs. E. A. Oliver, Frank and Grover Greer, and baby H. B. Ramsey.

Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Barron Hostesses At Pretty Spring Bridge Party

BROWNSVILLE—Among the delightful spring parties was the pretty afternoon bridge at which Mrs. John F. Barron and Mrs. E. P. Reed were hostesses Thursday afternoon at the Brownsville Country club.

Cosmos, phlox, carnations and other spring flowers in varied shades made a pretty setting for the games in which Mrs. John Puckett was high. Mrs. Thomas H. Sweeney was second high, Mrs. E. P. Kennerly, medium, and Mrs. Ted Pelikan, low.

Included in the guest list were Mesdames Neil Allen, Guy Bevil, D. B. Briggs, Ben L. Brite, Roy F. Breeden, Charles E. Benn, Charles Bracht, Bill Barber, Brooks Conover, Charley Calderoni, Bascom Cox, D. K. Clint, Howard L. Cummins, Vernon E. Colley.

Mesdames Jack Cronenwett of Harlingen, I. Dorfman, John Dutro, Robert M. Duffey, E. M. Dierlam, M. Edelstein, Paul Ellington, Clarence W. Gound of Harlingen, Harrell Finley, Emil Hartman, Winship Hodge, Nat B. Hatcher, Wallace B. Harwood, W. E. Heaner, John Jones, David Joost.

Mesdames Joe Ingram, Fred Knapp, E. P. Kennerly, Thurman A. Kinder, Jr., G. C. Kerr, L. Thurmond Krueger, Oscar M. Longnecker, Jr., C. P. Miller, Jack Mace, Otto A. Manske, Robert T. McMinn, F. E. Macmanus, B. B. McDonald, C. E. McCormick, M. P. McNair.

Mesdames Neely Newman of San Benito, Milton Overstreet, Martin Price, Sam Perl, R. A. Porter, John B. Puckett, Robert E. Puckett, Ted C. Pelikan, Fred Pilgrim, George W. Putegnat, Ellis Perry, Jack Rutledge of Harlingen, Fay L. Rockwell, Bart Randolph.

Miss Betty Rockwell, Mesdames Harry P. Roberts, C. A. Richmond, C. L. Robison, Fritz Schmidt, R. Shire of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Thomas H. Sweeney, Thomas H. Sweeney, Jr., A. V. Smith, George J. Toland, Robert D. Fordyce, John Van de Putte, H. E. Welker, Homer E. Watkins, Jack Wiech, George Ury, and Fausto Yturria.

La Feria Seniors Honored By Banquet

LA FERIA — Annual banquet given by women of the Baptist W.M.S. to honor Baptist seniors was held Thursday evening in the educational building. Green and yellow, the class colors, were emphasized. Address of the evening was given by Rev. J. W. Mason of Edinburg. There were 43 senior class members present and several special guests.

Delegates Named By Service Unit

Federation Envoys Chosen In Fresnos

LOS FRESNOS — Mrs. Frank Kretz and Mrs. Harry Whipple were chosen delegates to the semi-annual meeting of the Valley Federation of Women's Clubs at the Thursday afternoon meeting of the Woman's Service club at the country home of Mrs. Herbert Leach.

Mrs. Earl Rogers was program leader for the afternoon. Assisting her was Mrs. Noel Ryall who gave an interesting article on Amon Carter of Fort Worth. Members answered roll call by giving the names of other Texas personalities.

Miss Fairy Cutler, a guest, and the following members were present. Mesdames Ura Breedlove, Roy Carlson, Claire Chase, Everett Chase, N. G. Chatelle, Ralph Coon, Albert Farney, Grover Greer, James Grunwald, Leon Hinkley, Ed Hockaday, Frank Kretz, Harry Lupton, Joe Nestril, Clinton Oliver, E. A. Olson, W. B. Palmer, Earl Rogers, Noel Ryall, Harry Whipple, Frank Williams and Misses Geneva Palmer and Ethel Gammon.

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Cookery Lectures Slated By Expert On Valley Visit

Waterless Cookery Advantages Told



MRS. LILLIE WARD

BROWNSVILLE — According to Miss Lillie Ward, pictured here Valley residents may be in danger from drowning, without attempting to swim or even to get near the water! In explanation of this startling statement, Miss Ward pointed out that the danger she refers to lies in "drowning" foods—vegetables, particularly. In other words, cooking foods in quantities of water may rob them of properties that are essential to health, as well as of delightful natural flavors.

Miss Ward will be in Brownsville from Monday to Thursday and will conduct continuous demonstrations daily at Edelstein's Better Furniture Store to show local housewives how to cook successfully without water, and thus avoid the above danger.

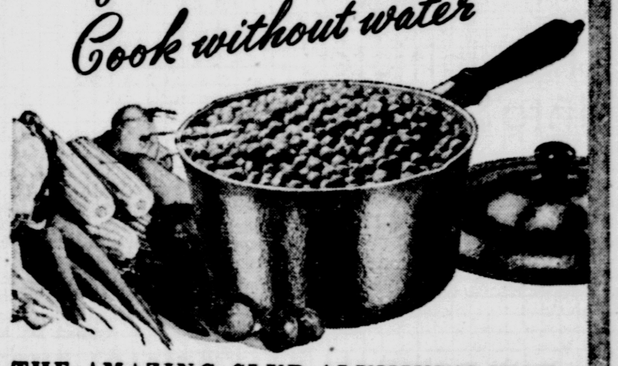
Miss Ward, who comes to the Valley from the Club Aluminum Test Kitchen, Chicago, will be remembered by many local women who have attended previous demonstrations that she has conducted at Edelstein's Better Furniture Stores.

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Elaborate Tea Shower Given In Raymondville To Honor Bride-Elect

RAYMONDVILLE — A lovely party honoring Mrs. Virginia Hamner, bride-to-be of George Weahrung of Houston, whose marriage will take place on May 5 in the Methodist church in Harlingen, was given in the American Legion building Thursday evening with Mesdames C. C. Conley, S. I. Byars, H. E. Wahler, K. H. Duddlesten, R. K. Finlay, I. B. Loe and W. H. Phillips as joint-hostesses.

The honoree was striking in a shirred black model. Her sister, Miss Mahala Hamner also wore black, cleverly designed and trimmed with white lace.

Mrs. Conley wore a flowered silk with tucked bodice; Mrs. Byars chose a shell peach crepe; Mrs .Duddlesten selected a Capri blue, trimmed in matching lace yoke; Mrs. Finlay was attractive in a peach shadow-stripe sheer offset with corsage of cornflowers; Mrs. Loe's style was a black crepe trimmed in white; Mrs. Phillips was smart in an alpaca sheer with a short fitted buttoned bolero and a corsage of red sweetpeas.

Programs of hand sketched brides and handpainted floral wedding games were given the guests.

Mrs. Wahler, wearing white net with large white taffeta flowers appliqued at the hem and a white fur bolero, presented the program:

Piano selections by Miss Marion Shader; "The Minute Waltz" by little Ruth Warren; "Piggy Woo," a song by Ceresa Howell who also gave an acrobatic number; Miss Betty Mungerson played a flute solo, accompanied by Laurene Warren and Ann Gassett played Mozart's Sonata as a piano solo. Dorothy Jean Harding sang two numbers: "I Love You Truly' 'and "The Lilac Tree," accompanied by Mrs. B. S. Wright.

Little Patsy Akard, dressed as a bride entered to the wedding march played by Mrs. Wright, and presented Miss Hamner with the bride's bouquet. Little Joan Duddlesten entered trailing behind her a white express with gifts. Many lovely gifts showed the esteem in which friends and former neighbors held the honoree.

Miss Marion Shrader in white net with short bolero of quilted taffeta stitched in gold thread, presided over the crystal punch service, while Miss Marjorie Finlay in rose petal pink taffeta served dainty cakes, Miss La-Fern Hendrick in pretty powder blue, and Miss Ethel Mae Day, in a soft wine red crepe, assisted.

A large group of friends called during the receiving hours.

Clubs Name Delegates To Federation

MISSION—Four Mission women's clubs will be represented at the Rio Grande Valley Federation of Women's Clubs which convenes in San Benito Tuesday for the spring session. Representatives of the North Mission and Sharyland Home Demonstration Clubs and of the Mission Study Club and the Woman's Tuesday Club will attend the one-day program.

S. M. Patterson, secretary of the Mission Chamber of Commerce will be one of the speakers on the morning forum session when Valley problems will be discussed. Mr. Patterson's subject will be the tourist industry and outlook for the Valley.

Delegates who will represent the Sharyland club are Mrs. Roy Alexander, Mrs. C. E. Crandall and Mrs. C. E. Storms. From the North Mission club, delegates are Mesdames M. M. Walden, T. W. Carter and H. W. Robinson; their alternates are Mesdames Willard Ferguson, C. G. Pettit, and A. F. McKeever.

Representatives from the Woman's Tuesday Club will be Mesdames L. G. Pyler, president; C. D. Eppright, and Leo Marcell. Their alternates are Mesdames T. W. Nethery, H. H. Ewing and T. H. Spilman, respectively. Delegates from the Mission Study Club include the president-elect, Mrs. D. W. Schulze, Mrs. Graham Johnson and Mrs. Carl A. Roettele; alternates are Mesdames A. A. Bentsen, L. E. Walker and Winston Jenkins.

Musicale Surprise For Club Members

RAYMONDVILLE — Mrs. B. S. Wright delightfully surprised members of the Raymondville Study club meeting in her home Tuesday afternoon when Stanley Addington and Frank Ing appeared on the musical program.

The musicale followed a review "Of Men and Music," by Deems Taylor, in its three parts: "Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow," by Mrs. Wright.

Mr. Addington sang "O Sublime Sweet Evening Star" from the opera Tannhauser, Wagner; "Ave Maria," Bach-Gounod, and as an encore "Shortenin' Bread" by Jacques-Wolf.

Mr. Ing. sang the "Toreador Song" from "Carmen" by Bizet; "Old Mother Hubbard" to the immortal music of the Halleujah Chorus; and "Shadrach," as an encore. The singers were accompanied by the hostess.

Ruth Warren, age seven, played "Minuet Waltz" by Chopin and "'Tis Raining" by Grunno.

Mrs. Earl Gilliland gave the 10-minute talk on Geraldine Farrar.

Weslaco B.P.W.'s Honor Girl Graduate

WESLACO—One of the loveliest banquets of the month's social calendar was given by the Business and Professional Woman's club Tuesday night at the Weslaco Hotel.

Roses and Phlox attractively decorated the table. Miss Fern Langford and Mrs. Emily Kay had charge of the program.

Mrs. Kay gave the talk, "Meeting of Human Needs in a Democracy."

Doris Nix, the club's senior girl for the year, was honoree with a lovely miscellaneous shower.

Neal McNaughten, guest of the club, showed motion pictures of Valley scenes.

Calendar

BROWNSVILLE

MONDAY

Business and Professional Women's club at Miller Hotel with Mrs. Della Bollinger.

Presbyterian Auxiliary at 3:30 p. m. at the church.

Episcopal Woman's Auxiliary at 2:30 p.m. at the parish house.

All circles of the Methodist WMS at 3 p. m. at the church.

WEDNESDAY

Penny Supper at the Central Christian church.

Travel Club with Mrs. J. M. Dunham.

Self-culture Club with Mrs. E. T. Yates at Mooreland Terrace.

THURSDAY

Brownsville Federation of Women's Clubs at 3:30 p. m. at the Presbyterian church.

Evening Bridge Club with Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Reed.

El Jardin Heights Social Club with Mrs. George Bowman.

Victoria Heights Civic Club with Mrs. Gene Parker at 9:30 a. m.

Los Ebanos Garden Club with Mrs. Thomas E. Yett at 10 a. m.

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Dunkers Club Has Election

HARLINGEN—New officers were elected at the meeting of the Dunkers Club, D.S., held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Robert Gamble, 1117 E. McKinley, Finwood Heights. The new corps of officers includes:

Mrs. E. O. Matz, president; Miss Gladys Wallace, vice president; Mrs. Bill Winters, secretary - treasurer; Miss Edna Bell Farrar, reporter; Miss Frances Payne, birthday chairman; Miss Evelyn Dell, welfare, and Miss Florence Matz, social chairman.

Each member named her favorite hobby in answering roll call. Miss Florence Matz, president, directed the business period when plans were made for a picnic Sunday, April 21, at Lake Olmito to be held jointly with members of the Hearts Club.

Miss Bernice Prenzler, birthday chairman, made the birthday presentation to Miss Gladys Wallace.

Queen's lace and purple larkspur decorated the rooms.

A brief social period was enjoyed when the hostess served a frosted beverage with sand tarts to 14.

Next regular meeting will be held May 2 at the Matz home on the Combes highway with Misses Florence Matz and Delitha Bothwell as joint hostesses.

Six Honored By Luncheon

SAN BENITO — Miss Betty Bohner was hostess Saturday for a luncheon of special charm planned to honor a group of girl graduates. Honor guests included Misses Eleanor Thompson, Robbie Weatherly, Betty Mac Smith, Darlene Lwason, Doroth. Jean Baker, and Madelyn Valentine.

Centerpiece for the long table where honorees and other guests were seated was an artistic arrangement of yellow blossoms.

Others in th personnel were Misses Betty Swan Lochmiller, Doris Heidland, Frances Simmons, Martha Plahn, Sadie Lou Davidson, Seeta Mayne Foster, Aline East, Doris Ogden, Dorothy Dodds, Blanche Gilbert, Peggy Wilmeth, Lois Lovett, and Kathryn Roberts.

Attractive Sextette Comprises Lantana Court



Lantana Ladies who will have prominent roles in the Lantana Ladies court this month at Texas A. & I. College are presented in the picture made in the reception room of Cousins Hall, the girls domitory. Shown, reading left to right are: Miss Rosalee Burns of Goliad. Miss Kathleen Jester of Kingsville, Miss Anna Yynn Porter of Freer. Lantana Queen; Miss Leefe Brown of San Benito, Miss Betty Jo Lyon of Robstown, Miss Kathryn Ann Bluntzer of Corpus Christi, and Miss Harriet Kidder of Mercedes.

Victorian In 1940 Sort Of Way



The 19th century revival in furniture designs has produced some interesting arrangements for corners. This cameo-back chair, with a swirl-top table that has a lyre base and claw feet. The carving is more restrained than that in its prototypes.



More extensive is the carving on this second Victorian-inspired chair and table. This type of chair is very comfortable. The swirl-top table is patterned after an old time pedestal table, claw feet and all. Both these arrangements were assembled in the Chicago Merchandise Mart.

Guest Gives Talk For Club

ELSA—Valley Federation was the program topic presented at the meeting of the Elsa Civic and Study Club Wednesday. Mrs. Wm. Hughes, program chairman, presented Mrs. Henry Lauderdale of Mercedes, who was guest speaker and gave the club much interesting information.

Patsy Graham gave a piano solo.

Mrs. H. Harrison was presented as a new member.

The beautification committee has been busy during recent weeks and reported trees and shrubs planted and carpet grass set out.

Miss Genevieve Rhodes, Mrs. A. C. Carlson, and Mrs. John Carr volunteered to plan the club luncheon which will mark the last meet- of the year to be held Saturday, May 18. New officers will be installed at that time.

Intermediates Hold Evening Of Games

HARLINGEN—A jolly evening was spent by members of the intermediate department of the Methodist Sunday school Thursday evening in the basement of the church. Shuffleboard and other games were enjoyed and sandwiches were served with cold drinks.

Chaperones included Mrs. Clifford Margraves, sponsor, and Garver Murray, Mrs. Roy Householder, and Mrs. G. S. Wofford, teachers.

Obligation Service Will Be Observed By Eastern Star

McALLEN—The McAllen chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star will hold an obligation service Monday at 8 p. m. at the regular meeting at the Masonic Temple.

Observance of the service follows an annual custom. Mrs. George Edwards, worthy matron, with officers of the chapter, will be in charge.

Friday members of the Valley Matrons Club will meet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel for their regular luncheon at noon.

Memphis Guests

BROWNSVILLE — Guests here for the next month are Mrs. J. F. Owen and her daughter, Theresa Kay, of Memphis, Tennessee. They are residing in the home of their brother and uncle, Louis C. Skipper, who is stationed temporarily in San Salvador.

Poetry Topic For Session

BROWNSVILLE — Nineteenth Century poetry was the topic of study for members of the Literature and Arts Review Club Friday morning at the home of Mrs. Rufus Ransome.

Mrs. Hubert R. Hudson was in charge of the program, and dwelt particularly on Keats and Shelley.

The next meeting will be held May 3, at the home of Mrs. Thurman A. Kinder, Jr., when Mrs. Joseph C. Jordon will be in charge of the program.

Attending the Friday meeting were Mesdames Joe K. Wells, Joe Vivier, Jr., W. E. McDavitt, Hubert R. Hudson, G. D. Sutton, Howard L. Cummins, James A. Maxwell, Jr., M. P. McNair, James L. Rentfro, R. A. Porter, Carl W. Gillette, Winship Hodge, Joseph C. Jordon, C. S. Eidman, Walter M. Galloway, James L. Abney, Thurman A. Kinder, Jr., O. J. Studeman, and Penrose W. Hirst.

Guest Day Is Wednesday

HARLINGEN—Mrs. Joseph C. Jordan of Brownsville will be presented by the Fine Arts Club Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock in a dramatic interpretation of "Susan and God," well-known play by Rachel Crothers. The event, which is to be at the Woman's Building, will mark the club's annual guest day.

Mrs. Jordan, talented in this field of artistic expression, is widely known for her interpretation of "Our Town" by Thornton Wilder. She spends a few weeks in New York each winter attending the theatre and saw Gertrude Lawrence play the leading role in "Susan and God" two seasons ago. For her performance in this role Miss Lawrence was adjudged the best actress on Broadway that year as the "phony, luxuriating Buchmanite" in Susan and God. The play has dramatic situations that are at times pathetic, but more often amusing and sustain one's interest and absorption to the final curtain.

Mrs. Jordan's interpretation and review will be preceded by a violin duet by Phil Murray and Robin Burdette accompanied by Mrs. Josephine Pollard Huntley.

Each member of the Fine Arts Club will have two personal guests. Other invited guests are members of the Afflatus Club, the Junior Fine Arts Club, and the Chi Phi Pi sorority. Forming the club's social committee are Mesdames O. E. Stuart, Charles Simmons, Eugene Torbett, and R. L. Hill.

Monday morning at 10 a.m. Mrs. Stanley Crockett is calling a short called meeting of the Fine Arts Club at the Woman's Building.

Supper Is Success

RAYMONDVILLE—The Girl Reserves penny supper at the Methodist church Tuesday netted $15.00 for the Y.W.C.A. Camp at Rio Hondo.

New officers going to camp at Rio Hondo this weekend are: Winnie Fred Raymond, President, Mamie Yates, vice-president; Doris Kilborn, Secretary-treasurer, and Virginia Lee Wood, song leader.

Guest Day Arranged By La Feria Club Is Noteworthy Event

LA FERIA — Annual guest day observed Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Margaret Oliver was the highlight of the year for the Twentieth Century Club and among the outstanding social events of the spring season. Spring blossoms were lavishly arranged about the rooms.

Hostesses were members of the executive board headed by Mrs. Leon Hargrove, president.

Receiving the guests were Miss Oliver, dressed in a blue embroidered net formal frock; Mrs. Hargrove, wearing a pink and white print bolero model and corsage of sweetpeas; Mrs. H. W. Voiers, handsome in pink embroidered lace; and Mrs. E. C. Wallace whose red moire taffeta gown was worn with fitted jacket and a corsage of blue cornflowers.

Guests were greeted by the president nd Mrs. A. L. Todd had charge of the program. Music included accordion duets played by Miss Frances Goldberg of Mercedes and Mrs. Harry Eagleston of Harlingen.

To lend further emphasis to the year's study, "The United States as seen tnrough the eyes of Modern Writers, Mrs. E. C. Phillips of Pharr was presented in a brilliant dramatic review, "Song of the Years" by Bess Steeter Aldrich. Mrs. Phillips, who is widely known for her artistry, created the atmosphere of the story with an authentic setting of heirloom antiques and an old-fashioned costume.

The tea table, laid with a handsome lace cover, had for centerpiece an unusual star-shaped arrangement of red rosebuds in the center with white gladiolias and blue cornflowers forming the starpoints. Individual cakes iced in white and decorated with miniature stars in red, white, and blue, were served and candy nosegays were favors. The table was appointed in crystal.

Pouring were Mrs. J. Leon Hargrove and Mrs. H. W. Voiers, incoming president.

A large number of guests were present including Mrs. O. E. Stuart, Harlingen, Valley Federation president.

Dinners Form Delightful Social Events

McALLEN — Social activities in McAllen continued this week with Mrs. C. A. Marshall acting as hostess for two delightful parties.

Twenty people were dinner guests Thursday night before an evening of bridge.

Decorations for the table featured a white and red theme with white lilies, larkspur and Queen Anne's lace used artistically against a red dinner service.

Lee Green of San Juan was winner of high score prize for men and Mrs. A. J. Campbell high for women. Low prize winners were Charles Holland and Mrs. Charles Starlin while Arthur Reichert and Mrs. Lee Green took the bingo awards.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Leon Shaftstall, Mr. and Mr. Starlin, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reichert, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Hensley, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Green, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stambaugh and Mrs. Florence Dean, all of San Juan; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holland and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Campbell.

Earlier in the week Mr. and Mrs. Marshall were hosts to a dinner party at which invited guests were: Messrs. and Mesdames G. Aubrey Thomas, R. D. Cox, Bob Marstaon, Burl Stugard and Lean Shaftstall.

Bridal Shower Given For Mrs. Lawrence

RAYMONDVILLE — Among the pretty affairs of the week was the coffee and shower given by Miss Ruby Holder and Mrs. John Holder in the latter's home for Mrs. Preston Lawrence, the former Miss Eileen Haynes Tuesday evening. Roses banked the mantelpiece and filled vases about the home.

A crystal bowl of roses and gardenias graced the table laid with lace cloth of filet. Mrs. A. T. Harper presided over the coffee urn and Miss Peggy O'Neil served punch.

Others were Mrs. Mittie Haynes, mother of the honoree, Mesdames M. F. Hayes, D. M. Murdock, W. E. Arnold, B. F. Cox, W. F. Brownfield, Bill McCharen, W. F. Hardwick, H. W. Cook, Francis Roberts and Misses Caroline Duffield, Doreen Riedel, Mary Sue Hardage and Virginia Rickner.

Mrs. Ted Hudson Hostess For Bridge

SAN BENITO—Mrs. Ted Hudson entertained the Silk Stocking Club at her home Thursday afternoon. Yellow flowers decorated the rooms. A delicious dessert course was served upon the arrival of the guests.

When playing ended Mrs. Fred Thomas held high.

Members and guests playing were Mesdames Jack Ehlers, Fred Thomas, Mary Anderson Foehner, P. J. LeGuerrin, Ben Shoemaker, Paul Wright, Al Lamm and R. A. Ewing.

American Women Topic For Program

SAN BENITO—The What-To Read club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. H. G. Hanseon. "American Woman" was the subject for the afternoon. Mrs. F. L. Paschall gave an interesting talk on "Field of Fashion" and Mrs. J. P Casey discussed "In the Field of Politics. Mrs. Othel Bigham was voted back as an active member.

Mrs. Al Lamm will be reporting delegate to the Valley Federation of Women's Clubs in San Benito Tuesday. Mrs. H. V. Gordon and Mrs. George Wilson will also be delegates.

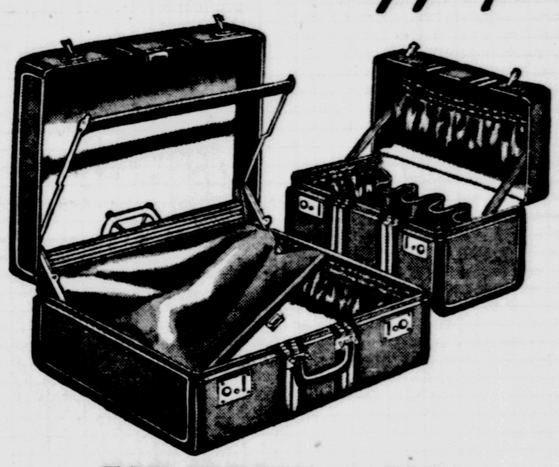
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Songsters Are Popular As Entertainers



Members of a popular McAllen high school trio, are left to right, Phyliss Jones, Mary Evelyn Leslie and Lila Beth Culwell. The girls, all of whom are members of the Sub-Deb Club, have been in popular demand to sing their lilting melodies at many of the large teas and parties given in the city. Last week they entertained a crowd at the Casa de Palmas Hotel when Mrs. A. G. Thornton and Mrs. Herbert Hamlin were hostesses for a tea. At the annual preferential Beta Sigma Phi tea Sunday at Mrs. Lala Hallock Lee's home they were also featured. All are students at the McAllen Senior High School.

Rio Grande Club Project Completed

Sum Of $730 Contributed

RIO GRANDE CITY—A total of $115.00 was deposited in the bank here Tuesday by Miss Guadalupe A. Margo, president of the Progressive Club, for the purpose of 500 feet of pipe necessary for the completion of the project to carry water to the new city cemetery located on the northwestern outskirts of the city.

According to Miss Margo, through whose active leadership the club has raised nearly $750.00 for the enterprise, Tuesday's deposit was made up of $14.00 cleared from the dance given March 31, $13.00 dues, and $88.00 collected from an electric percolator.

Work on laying the pipeline was commenced April 11 by a group of 13 N.Y.A. youths, and should be completed within a few weeks. A year ago the club purchased 3,000 feet of pipe for $614.30, Miss Margo said.

Organized on August 20, 1938, by Miss Margo, the Progressive Club has had as its sole objective the raising of funds to lay the water line to the new cemetery for the purpose of beautification. The organization has an enrollment of 30 active members.

This project, being now virtually complete, a short program was held at 9 o'clock Wednesday night at the Garmon Theatre at which Miss Margo and Judge L. R. Brooks of this city announced the work now in progress expressing appreciation to the public for generous assistance from the start.

Mrs. Espenlaud And Son Leave



Mrs. A. T. Espenlaub, (pictured at the left) a favorite in upper-Valley social circles, left Saturday with her 11 months old son, David Alvin, for their home at Newfane, N. Y. after spending the winter months at McAllen. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Thompson of San Juan and Mrs. Thompson is pictured at the right.

Guest Day Tea Held By Club

About 100 Attend Brownsville Affair

BROWNSVILLE—About one hundred guests attended the annual guest day event of the Brownsville Study club Thursday afternoon at the Woman's club between the hours of 4 and 6 o'clock.

Greeting guests at the door was Mrs. Sam D. Hughston, who wore a frock of rose lace. Mrs. Sam L. Lockwood, in black brocaded taffeta, was in charge of the guest register. Receiving at the enjoyable affair were Mrs. J. Harrison Diltz, especially pretty in a gown of a blue silk marquisette, worn with a jacket, and Mrs. Leo Nolan, in a becoming gown of aqua lace with burgundy lace trim.

About the rooms were pretty bouquets of varied spring flowers. Assisting in hostess duties were Mrs. J. A. Walker, in white chiffon made along empire lines, with trim of rose velvet ribbon; Mrs. Charles C. Stewart, blue crepe; Mrs. Harry L. Faulk, navy blue; Mrs. Joe Wheeler, in black chiffon with an accordion pleated skirt; Mrs. Joe Ingram, black crepe; Mrs. B. B. McDonald, in a navy blue frock with white dots, worn with a jacket of azalea rose.

In the dining room, the tea table was one of the prettiest and most unusual noted this spring. Centering the table, laid with lace, was an old-fashioned bouquet of red and white roses, finished with the lace paper frill, and tied with red and white ribbon streamers. Surrounding this large bouquet were four smaller bouquets made in identical fashion, and tall hurricane lamps holding white tapers and small hurricane lamps holding red tapers.

On the buffet was an especially pretty arrangement of a variety of spring flowers and fern, flanked by white tapers in crystal holders.

Presiding at the table in alternate periods were Mrs. Harman B. Jeffery, in wine colored crepe; Mrs. C. L. Parnell, in flowered pique; Mrs. Rolan McKee, in a tailored frock of yellow and white pique; Mrs. Robert E. Green, in gold colored taffeta with drop-shouldered decolletage. Assisting in the dining rooms were Mrs. L. C. Fife, who wore a white lace, made on tailored lines; and Mrs. R. R. Fife, whose gown was a flowered batiste. All members of the house party wore corsages of spring flowers in colors to harmonize with their frocks.

Valley Woman Heads State D. A. R.



President and corresponding secretary for the Texas Society of the Daughters of the Revolution, are Valley women included in the group photographed at their recent installation at Denton, and presented above. Reading left to right are Mrs. Frank G. Trau, Sherman, recording secretary, Mrs. Gus L. Ford, Lubbock, first vice regent; Mrs. Edwin Stanton Lammers, Alamo, state regent, Mrs. George T. Spears, Graham, second vice regent; Mrs. Walter H. Fendley, Corsicana, state registrar, Mrs. Joseph R. Carmal, San Antonio, state chaplain; Mrs. Julian Oppenheimer, Ft. Worth, state librarian; Mrs. Walter G. Dick, Columbus, state historian; Mrs. Henry Stallings, Brownwood, state curator; Mrs. Maurice Clark Turner, Dallas, parliamentarian; Mrs. E. R. Barrow, Houston, state treasurer; and Mrs. Beatrice Drake Frase, Donna, state corresponding secretary. Mrs. Lammers is now in Washington attending the Continental Congress, national meeting of the D. A. R.'s.

Child Aid Reported

ALAMO—The American Legion and Auxiliary Unit No 475, met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sell on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Cramer, a teacher in the Alamo Mexican School was a guest and spoke about using excess commodities to feed underprivileged children. She said that they feed over seventy children per day. The clinic chairman reported 73 children examined at the clinic during the past month. Refreshments were served to 30.

Mrs. Carl Drennan and Mrs. Marvin Rhinehart attended a Garden Party at the College of Arts and Industries in Kingsville on Thursday.

Interesting papers on Norway were given at the meeting of the Community Ladies Aid Thursday. Mrs. Arthur Kaut gave an account of "Government and Statesmen" and Mrs. J. P. Poole read about "Resources and Industries in Norway." Miss Hulda Walden gave a piano solo and Mrs. J. C. McCreary sang two solos, accompanied by Mrs. Leonard Davis. Refreshments were served to 30 members and guests.

Circles To Meet

BROWNSVILLE—All circles of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will gather at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

New discoveries of oil in Texas represented 40 per cent of all the new oil reserves found in the entire United States in 1939.

Week Of Parties Fete New Members Of Sub-Deb Club In City Of Palms

McALLEN—The Sub-Deb Club, composed of a group of McAllen girls of high school age, rounded out a week of entertainment for their pledges with an initiation ceremony at the Casa de Palmas Hotel at three o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Following the ritualistic initiation ceremonies, conducted in candlelight, the new members were guests of the club at a tea for which the decorations featured attractive bouquets of mixed spring flowers.

New members of the club, formed by nine young girls in September, 1938, are: Mary Gene Catlett, Joanne Bonneau, Norma Bray, Eileen Carter, Margaret Bonnycastle, Pat Bonneycastle, Mary Phillips, Virginia Barthel and Betty Crowell.

Other members include: Shirley Kyte, Bernice Atkins, Mary Evelyn Leslie, Becky Clark, Phyliss Jones, Velda Meek, Eddie Grace Coughran, Louise Fristoe, Catherine O'Neall, Maxine Coates, Lila Beth Culwell, Mary Epperson, Martha Epperson, Barbara Baltis, Marjorie Hamner, Dorothy Jean Cross, Virginia Gentry, and Betty Barbe.

Every day for the past week the new and the old members have been entertained with a different kind of party.

Friday afternoon, the sponsor, Miss Lois Honea, was hostess at her home for a tea. Lovely arrangements of spring flowers accented the pastel beauty of the tea table.

A garden party Thursday afternoon saw a bevy of girls at Bernice Atkins' home. Their frocks were simple afternoon numbers with long, full skirts.

All the group went to the theatre Wednesday afternoon after which they were supper guests at Shirley Kyte's home.

Members of the Escorts Club, a group of high school boys, were guests Tuesday night when the girls entertained at the home of Barbara Baltis. The dance was a "sport" affair to which everyone wore smart sports frocks.

Opening the week's parties was a buffet supper for which Louise Fristoe was hostess.

Leader



Mrs. E. C. Wallace, La Feria served as corresponding secretary for 10th District P.-T. A. which ended the annual spring conference in Laredo the past week. Mrs. Wallace is active in club, gardening, and church cir-

Honored



Patsy Jean Liles was honored with a gay birthday party last week at her home when classmates were entertained with a theatre and slumber party and birthday breakfast Saturday. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Blake Liles of Pharr.

To Give Playlet

ALAMO—Circles two and four of the Community Church Ladies Aid will give a musical playlet on Friday evening, April 26, at the church, entitled "Grandmother's Rose Garden." Everyone is invited.

President Rutherford B. Hays was a posthumous child.

Pretty Afternoon Tea Given In San Benito For Graduating Senior

SAN BENITO—Ann Stanley was hostess and Jean Brady, girl graduate, was honoree, for one of the most attractive of the pre-commencement parties Saturday afternoon given at the home of the hostess' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Stanley. Spring formal frocks worn by the young girls in the house party and the pastels chosen by the throng of guests blended with the delicate flower colors afforded by lavish floral arrangements throughout the home.

Miss Stanley's floor length dress was powder blue and Miss Brady wore rose silk printed in white. Mrs. Stanley was attired in green and white chiffon, Mrs. Ed Brady chose black marquisette with white lingerie blouse, Mrs. Tom Marchbanks was in dark blue marquisette and Mrs. C. L. Jones was wearing aqua taffeta.

Other members of the house party included Sarita Glenn, whose dress of green organdy was trimmed with white lace, Robbie Weatherly wearing pink marquisette with satin stripe, Charlene Jones in aqua marquisette, Katherine Ballenger, whose frock was of powder blue organdy, Martha Plahn wearing powder blue taffeta blouse with net skirt in a matching shade, Virginia Alewine attired in lavender batiste, and Blanche Gilbert whose floral striped organza was a replica of a colonial model. Each wore corsages of blossoms in purple and yellow to denote the high school colors.

Yellow and orchid blossoms were chosen for the pretty tea table which was laid with lace and appointed with crystal and silver.

Talisman roses and blossoms in lavender and purple were massed effectively throughout the rooms to make a delightful environment for the affair.

The guest list included: Mildred Harris, Darlene Lawson, Dorothy Dodds, Lois Lovett, Doris Ogden, Jean Hagar, Tad Brown, Rosemary Atkins, Bonnie Lou Bryant, Ruth Ann Willis, Gladys Parker, Frances Smith, Doris Gilbert, Helen Hagadorn, Betty Ann Higgins, Miriam Monger, Marilyn Smith, Betty Brown, Jane Titus, Virginia Stovall, Leatha Mae Kyser, Edith Wittenbach, Jane Pritchett, Jeanette Kinny, Peggy Wilmeth, Virginia Warlick, Frances Phillips, Eleanor Thompson, Doris Hiedland, Betty Mae Smith, Joyce Littlepage, Evelyn Kennemer, Sadie Lu Davidson, Madelyn Valentine, Dorothy Garten, Frieda Snieder, Harriett Morgan, Dorothy Barber, Doris Andrews and Evelyn Klepland, San Benito.

Gretchen Bowen, Jo Ella Burghart, Dan Atteberry, June Martin, Lorraine Schaeffer and Jean Kirkpatrick, Mercedes. Jean Stone, Sue Peery, Rosemary Richardson, Elizabeth Holcomb, Peggy Crixwell, Beth Lupton and Jean Wells, Brownsville. Joyce Gregory, Jean Smiley, Freddie Jackson and Clemintine Baker, Harlingen.

Calendar

ALAMO

MONDAY

7:30—Rainbow for Girls.

TUESDAY

3:00—Women's Missionary Society Circles.

WEDNESDAY

2:30—South Morningside Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. T. A. Craig.

2:30—North Alamo Sunshine Club.

THURSDAY

2:30—Mrs. Allen Cox will be hostess to the Sorosis Club.

2:30—Lutherean Ladies Aid.

FRIDAY

8:00—Musical playet at the Community Church, "Grandmother's Rose Garden."

Club To Meet

LA FERIA — The Garden Club will meet at the club house Monday, April 22, for the monthly social meeting. Mrs. L. R. Murphy will be in charge of the program on sky gardens.

Oil taxes for the past 18 years have averaged three times the earnings of the oil companies.

Bridge-Tea Is Birthday Fete

McALLEN—Mrs. J. A. Harris was the recipient of many gifts from friends who attended the bridge tea which her daughter, Miss Rachel Harris, and Mrs. P. M. Perkins gave at the latter's home this week.

Pink rosebuds and gladioli, Mrs. Harris' favorite flowers, were used to decorate the house throughout.

Mrs. A. G. Jury won high prize for the afternoon's bridge games and Mrs. Anna McCray, low.

At tea time refreshments were served in the dining room. Here the table was prettily decorated with fern and Queen Anne's lace. Mrs. Harris served the large embossed birthday candlelighted cake while her daughter presided at the punch bowl.

Class And Teacher Honored By Outing

LOS FRESNOS—Mrs. Leon Hinkley entertained Wednesday afternoon with a wiener roast for members of the third grade and their teacher, Mrs. G. C. Parrish.

President were Evelyn Warren, Jimmy McLeaish, Eulalia Mares, Patsy Sanders, Evelon Watson, Edith Faye Chambers, Bobby Bland, Hartzill Brown, Lester Nicole, Marjorie and Jimmy Hinkley, Pauline Stokes, Jerrel Bland, Shirley Ann Oliver, William Lee Moses, Lydia Gomez, Eustacio Escalante, Grover Greer, Gloria Gonzales, Patty Bearden, Frank Greer, Helen Jane Grabowski, Irma Lee Stout, Harry Jack Graybill and Mateo Vegas.

Sioux Indian Woman To Be Auxiliary Talker

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Laura Woodlock, of Martin, South Dakota, a visitor here, will be the main speaker at the regular Monday afternoon meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of the Advent (Episcopal).

Mrs. Woodlock, full blood Sioux, will address the members on the Indian church in that section of the country.

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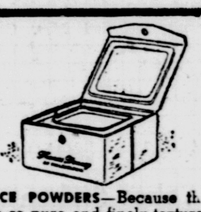
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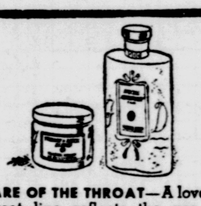
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Garden Club Pilgrimage In Willacy

Bourne Home Point Of Interest

RAYMONDVILLE—A pilgrimage full of delightful interest to nature lovers was made by the Raymondville Garden Club members on Thursday afternoon. Leaving the club house at two o'clock the motorcade went to the home of Mrs. B. O. Bourne where visitors were joined by delegations from the Santa Rosa and the Lyford clubs. Together they studied the professionally landscaped gardens where natives and other shrubs were beautifully blended.

Keen interest was shown in the fine gardenia garden, the profusion of fuchsia and tangerine bougainvillea, the fig vine from which cuttings were given and the large bed of double petunias.

Fruit punch was served on the lawn following the study.

The approach to Mrs. Robert Ray's charming garden was down an avenue of pink and white oleanders. Mrs. Ray did her own landscaping using native shrubbery almost entirely. Each shrub bore a typed label bearing the name of the plant to make it easier for the visitors to remember.

The orchid tree, the wild holly and japonica trees claimed special attention; and the rose garden, the single orchid rose "Dainty Bess" called forth exclamations of delight.

Shade was held responsible for the unusual growth of many of the plants and shrubs.

In the diningroom Mrs. Ray served cooling punch and sweet with unsweetened wafers from a table gay in Mexican woven cloth and a globe bowl of yellow nasturtiums. She was assisted by Mrs. William Bradberry, Mrs. Elton Ray and Mrs. John Lockhart.

About 40 garden lovers made the pilgrimage.

GOP Women Hold Parley

DONNA—Mrs. Beatrice D. Frase presided over a delightful organization meeting of the Republican Women's Club of Hidalgo County at the Casa de Palmas in McAllen this week. The tables were laid in pastel shaded linen and trimmed with spring flowers.

Mrs. Lena Gay Moore of Brownsville was guest speaker. As Republican National Committee Woman she spoke of organizing women in politics. It was decided to have short, snappy meetings, opening and closing very promptly.

On April 29, the next luncheon will be given over to perfecting a permanent organization and electing permanent officers.

All Republican women in the county are most cordially invited to this meeting.

Mrs. Frase goes to Corpus Christi early in the week to perfect a similar organization.

VISIT MOTHER

ALAMO—Mr. and Mrs. John Burkhart are visiting at Des Moines, Iowa. Mrs. Ester Loyd, mother of Mrs. Burkhart, returned to her home there after spending the winter here.

Valley Girls In Bit And Spur Show



AUSTIN—Horsewomen who have proven their proficiency are the members of Bit and Spur, coed riding club at the University of Texas, which will give its tenth annual horse show April 27. Club members pictured are:

Inserts: top left—Winifred Small jumping her horse Robin; top right — Virginia Gibson jumping Close Relation owned by Biltmore Stable, Austin; bottom left—Mary Neil Ward riding Black Gold owned by Harry Hartman of Austin; bottom right—Mary Lee Kenley riding Sorry Rio owned by Eugene Lang of Gonzales.

Front row, seated (left to right): Norma Hodge of El Paso, Luella Kenley of Austin, Margo Littlejohn of Marshall, Janet Long of Austin.

Second row (left to right): Mrs. R. D. Henderson of Austin, sponsor, Jane Jarvis of Troup, Virginia Gibson of Dallas, Billie McLeod of Dallas, Mary Neil Ward of Austin, Pattie Mae Dodson of Woodsboro, Betty Slaughter of Austin, Frank Kelly of Houston, Peggy Hilliard of Marshall.

Third row (left to right): Agnes East of Austin, Alpha Mae Stone of Amarillo, Ginger Kent of Dallas, Mary Lee Kenley of Austin, Winifred Small of Amarillo, Helene Woody of Pharr, Sarah Shidler of San Benito, and Doris Simmang of San Antonio.

Wesley Class Entertained

LA FERIA—Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. A. F. Anderson and Mrs. Ray Foncannon were hostesses to the Susannah Wesley class of the Methodist church when they met at the annex Thursday the 18th. It had been decided to have a tacky party and the costumes were most original and showed how the class could play as well as attend to more serious matters.

Mrs. John K. Collins, the president, was in the chair for the short business session. Mrs. Routon lead the devotional.

The social and entertainment was in charge of Mrs. M. J. Waldort and Mrs. A. J. Pope who led off with a duet. Mrs. J. M. Lancaster, Mrs. Pearl Moet, Mrs. M. L. Jones and Mrs. J. K. Collins, with Miss Nora Petersen at the piano, sang a quartet, "In the Good Old Summer Time." Mrs. Moet making the presentation speech gave Mrs. Collins a beautiful crystal cake dish and vase, a birthday gift from the class. Then Mrs. Moet sang a solo, "Oh Billy, Oh Billy, How You Can Love."

Three guests, Mrs. Petersen, Mrs. Hetherington and Mrs. McDonald acted as judges while the ladies modeled their costumes. Honorable mention was given Mrs. Moet for the most amusing and dignified costume.

The hostesses served a delicious refreshment plate to the 35 members and following guests, Mrs. Clark Hetherington of Galveston, Mrs. Lila McDonald, Mrs. James Petersen, Miss Nora Petersen and Mary James.

Honor Roll Announcements

PHARR-SAN JUAN-ALAMO

PHARR—Pharr-San Juan-Alamo public schools honor rolls for the fifth six weeks were released here Friday by Schools Superintendent J. Lee Stambaugh are as follows:

First Grade: Max Stiers, Jimmy Vaughn, Jimmy Lackey, Jerry Walton, J. D. Hofer, Frank Bradley, Patsy Jean Johnson, Clarence Cameron, Audrey Spencer, Lucille Eastwood, Virgie Summy, Helen Lounge, Billy Utzman, Ellen Henke, Mary Alice McGhee, Joann Walton, Frances Busch, Fay Woods, Melvin O'Mealey, Carol Lee Cole, Dolores DeWitt, Bonnie Lou Smith, Calvin Culley, Gene Deckard, Jackie Fowler, Eddie Faulkner, Mary Lou Williams, Patricia Hodgson, Patsy Brewer, Samuel Perez, Juan Sola, Ramiro Rivera, Raquel Garza, Barbara Marez, Paulita Tijerina, Julia Navarro, Solidad Pena, Lupe Comacho, Lupe Hernandez, Blisa Garza, Rebecca Camarillo, Jesue Gomez, Natividad Mendoza, Miguel Tamez, Eugene Mendoza, Magdalena Ramos, Dora Lopez, Viola Ramirez, Elida Salinas, Olivia Sanchez, Ismael Martinez, Abelardo Gonzales, Ramon Camarillo, Belia Elozondo, Dolores Landez, Paula Campos, Elida Hernandez, Maria Montalvo, Julia Peuna, Olivia Cruz, Emiliano Castellano, Antonio Perez, Audomaro Sandoval, Ercilla Flores, Julia Rivera, Corina Watts, Luisa Garza, Paul Scoto, Augistine Gauno, Julia Morin, Jesus Barbosa, Isaura Saenez, Rebecca Garza, Emma Pena, Hortensia Espinosa, Librada Vasque, Ciro Gomez, Pablo Cantu, Tomas Castillo, Jose Leal, Reynaldo Cantu, Manuel Rodriguez, Maria Diola Cantu, Homero Trevino, Maria Rodriguez, Jose Martinez, Rebecca de la Paz, Benita Gonzales, Francisco Villanueva, Ernesto Hernandez.

Second Grade: Howard Nielson, Bill Roach, Betty Jo Martin, Sydne Swallow, Betty Lou Varenkamp, Phyllis Wikoff, Maxine McDonald, Wilma Lois Reichert, Shirley Reichert, Jane Schaffer, Margaret Motley, Jimmie Barber, Billy Gene Tanner, Jetty Hilbern, Dorothy Spaulding, Margaret Rollins, Lois Collis, Aldophine Andrews, Bobby Goodey, Joyce Conquest, Norma Jewel Nelson, Geraldine Gordon, Dorothy Schulze, Earl Caldwell Jr., Josefina Ventura, Minerva Mirelez, Aurelio Serda, Lupe Hernandez, Lena Puentes, Sofia Rodriguez, Rafael Gonzeles, Macedonia Balli, Osca Elizondo, Robert Garcia, Ben Guzjardo, David Longoria, Abel Pena, Natividad Rodriguez, Candelario Martinez, Mary Imedia, Maria Luise Sanchez, Maria Berta Garza, Delia Salinas, Amelia Hinojosa, Anasticia Ureste, Santiago Flores, Louisa Guerra, Angelica Gonzeles, Nora Ramirez, Rose Rios, Carmen Zamarpia, Christina Cantu, Sarita Jimenez, Maria Alicia Ramos, Amelia Rivera, Elizabeth Bernal, Sara Martinez, Edubiyez Garcia, Maria Perez, Marcello Ramirez, Selia Sanchez, Lupe Zuniga, Bortolo Landez, Joel Saenz, Benito Saures, Fidencio Barreram Florencia Barrera.

Third Grade: Merlyn Koch, Bobby Lemen, Tommy Reichert, Dennis Riddle, Barbara Ann Cramer, Bernice Faulkner, Beulah Graham, Ada Lee Schaffer, Rose Lee Holmgren, Patricia Perkins, Helen Nielson, Niel Chestnutt, Joann Coate, Jimmy Davis, Yvonne Heimsoth, Alice Gawlik, Panchita Mitchell, Eugene Walthall, Virginia Spencer, Bobby Linnard, Mary Bernice Taylor, Martha Stephens, Alford Summy, Regina Schibi, Sue Farris, Fellow Farris, Jerry Stover, Helen Wilks, Betty June Polk, Mollie Slate, Rafeal Rivirea, Armando Elizondo, Victor Martinez, Nieves Canales, Conception Castillo, Fortino Cortez, Jose Maria Anzaloaa, Josefa Gomez, Paulina Leal, Margarita Salinas, Julia Gonzales, Cristina Elizondo, Albesa Villareal, Guadalupe Reyna, Sara Villanueva, Rafaela Gonzalaes.

Fourth Grade: Clement Williams, Billy Cox, Howard Smith, Tommy Weekly, Vernell Rhinehart, D. M. Watts, Frances Deering, Ena Mae Spaulding, Beulah Hodge, Lois Jean Garfield, Ione Ayers, Leck Burchfield, Betty Lou Stotu, Maxine Woods, Dick Hunt, Mary Alice Florez, Espiridion Ribres, Serfina Garcia, Eliseo Salinas, Romeo Escabor, Raul Rutledge, Katherine Coronado, Nellie Pantell, Margarita Pruneda, Juan Yranez, Herminia Garcia, Maria Landez, Jose Anzaldua, Ignacia Espinosa, Estefane Canales, Telma Garcia, Evelia Guerra, Juanita Martinez, Corina Saenz, Corrine Serna, Ramon de la Paz.

Fifth Grade: John Huser, Yvonne Field, Patsy Jean Liles, Mildred Holveck, Barney Edmonson, George Houston, Shirley Laddel, Belva Jean Norman, Horace Stiers, Donald Lee Barber, Glynn Riechert, J. Lawton Stone, Doris Ruby, Rita Satterlee, Mary Van Huss, Patty Johnson, Beulah Smith, Erasmo Benavides, Reuben Escobar, Lupe Solis, Armandina Martinez, Elva Salinas, Rafaela Salinas, Raul Guajardo, Josefina Rios, Ofilia Serna.

Sixth Grade: Henry Pate, Lucille Smith, J. T. ePnick, Bobbie Lee Caperton, Gordon Pierce, Minta Petitt, Neala Ricks, Junior Smith, Mary Ann Thier, Gene Darby, Eugene Foreman, Jimmy Linnard, Leland McCullough, Mary Carolyn Andrews, Barbara Ann Bailey, Erline Cole, Maxine McLendon, Cynthia Pritchard, Florence Scott, Patricia Wilkinson, Frances Guerra, Emma Martinez, Amparo Salinas, Evangelina Martinez, Ernestina Martinez, Martina Medina, Pablo Teran, Elva Farias, Mary Luisa Villegas, Ellie Contreras.

Seventh Grade: Jane McCullough, Jeanne Brittan, Richia Atkinson, James Ray Lewis, Ralph Nettleton, Betty Jo Patton, Mary Ann Golightly, Joe Cox, Jody DeVries, Ralph Koch, Rosalie Carrothers, Shelly Conquest, Neva Mae Harlow, Helen Hill, Josephine Taylor, Dan Cantu, Aurora Contreras, Humbelina Garcia, Betty Jewel Carrothers, Loraine Hansen, Josephine Scott, Juanita Ehlers, Deanie Hodge, Helen Little, Eva Mae Tanner.

Eighth Grade: Rex Barritt, Billy Lemen, Louise Edwards, Bonnie Joyce Linn, Gwendolyn O'Neill, Jacqueline Stone, Frances Ann Tillotson, Shirley Roberts, Dorris Mae Heron, Dorothy Gamble, Ruth DeShazo, Joann Carter, Armando Gomez, Forrest Fitch, Helen Ciknek, Selma Sorenson, Edith Pierce, Vernis LeFever, Robert Risinger, Donna Lee Young, Geo. Bright, Veeda Joyner, Gladys Mae Park.

Ninth Grade: Bobby Maurer, Alberta Platt, Jo-Ed Nusbaum, Fred Rueckling, Russell Linnard, Jackie Barnes, Bobby Mountz, J. Lee Stambaugh, Pauline Bennett, Malloy Chappell, Mildred Damron, Jayne Rhinehart, Helen Walked, Velda Mae Wilks, Lloyd Varenkamp.

Tenth Grade: Rosemary Waters, Betty Jo Watts, Ruth Thier, Frances Thomason, Margaret Saeta, Wilma Ruth Muir, Katheryne McCurry, Joy Levens, Virginia Mae Maddux, Dorothy Faye Mosley, Sylvia Lea Jones, Mary Claire Gossage, Bernice Baden, Marjorie Jolene Brittan, Paul Flowers, Milford Koch, Leslie Linnard, Forrest Palmer, Eugene Perkins, Belva Jean Norton, Frances Pfeifer, Antonio Rodriguez, Janet Wendel, Helen Becker.

Eleventh Grade: Joe Donald Bowen, Ervin Kelley, Billy Mountz, Billy York, Lorene Dreibelbis, Charlotte Martines, Sybil Pritchard, George Larsen, Dorothy Linnard, Geo. Pelming, Frank O'Neil, Ruth Bolling, Lois Cowley, Frances Cron, Mary Louise Kestler, Glenn Mannering, Ella Beth Melton, Betty Platt, Esther Quintanilla, Jeanette Van Denbark, Geraldine Welch.

RIO HONDO

RIO HONDO—The honor roll for the second six weeks of the second semester has been announced by Mrs. Key Merchant, principal of the junior high and high school of the Rio Hondo schools. Seniors: Katherine Bingham, Betty Petras, Norman Whisenant, Thelma Bandy, Mildred Bertram; Juniors: Mary Charlotte Field, Peggy Jean Autry, Esta Barker, Dorothy Hatch, Wesley Ply, Paul Christley; Sophomores: Janet Chrisley, Dorothy Bertram, Frances Bates, Robert LeRoy; Freshmen: Mary Carden, Helen Douglas, Buffy Field, Helen Hatch, Carol Howland, Laverne Jones, Jamie T. Knight, Wanda Porter, Tomacita Manciaz, Betty Ruth Bradshaw, Calvin Bishop, Deane Brotzman, Jimmie Meyer, Ralph Rotz; Seventh Grade: Dwain Estes, Edward Foelker, Henry Hartzog, Junior Herrington, Robert Scoggins, Dorothy Scoggins, Anna Marie Cholik, Maxine Foelker, Margaret Jo Goode, Dorothy Ann Kuhn, Marjorie Lewis, Violet Norman; Sixth Grade, Section 1: Johnny Canville, Lloyd Brotzman, Evelyn Huie, Mary Ann Hatch, Helen Dykes, Dorothy Cohea, Janie Lee Caffall, Evelyn Bertram, Betty Lou Barker; Sixth Grade, Section 11: Maragret Mace, Evelyn Pena, Leticia Pena, Ruth Pickens; Fifth Grade: Maybelle Foelker, Shirley Hatch, Margie Herrington, Rosie Knight, Joyce Pratt, Betty Stewart, Billie Mae Toland, Francis Wick, Charles Christley, Weldon Estes, Marvin Howland, Darrell Kirkendall, Eddie Jo Kuhn, Richard Lang, David LeRoy, Cleo Lumpkins, Glenn Raska, Hugh Warner, Lawrence Watkins, Terry Wick.

SHARYLAND

SHARYLAND—Two classifcations are made in the honor roll students listed in the roll released this week by A. D. Smith, superintendent of Sharyland schools, for grades made during the fifth grade period of the school term. "Gilt edge" and honor roll students are named in the list.

The complete roll includes:

First Grade: Henry Schultz, Syvia Ann Bokor, Sylvia Kramer, Jerline Dewald, Claryce Scott, Second Grade: Edna Barnes, Betty Ellen Bentsen, G. C. Carlile, Charles Coble, Lynne Kjelde, Patsy Vaughn, Third Grade: Loeen Bushman, Donald Lance, Lois Illene Morgan, Geraldine Stanley.

Fourth Grade: "gilt edge": Margaret Jean Block, Frances Mary Vaughn, Carol Kramer, Richard Wolfrum Dempsey Lance, Joan Sloan, Laverne Gills, Sara Hatley. Fourth Grade: Delroy Wilems, Violet Morgan, Betty Claire Hooks, George Slay, Joyce Sargent.

Sixth Grade: Leroy Vaughn (gilt edge), Emma Lou Lance, Olin Brashear, Alan Norton, Cooper Slay. Seventh Grade: Thelma Pearce (gilt edge), Ruth Hooks, Ila Mae Horn, Alice Quintanilla, Eva Cavazos.

Eighth Grade: Charles Knadle, Doris Ewaldm Alla Dean Carlile, (gilt edge), Marjorie Rossow, (gilt edge), Helen Sloan, (gilt edge).

Ninth Grade: Irma Lee Block, Marian Bokor, Mary Alice Block, Lois Gully, Harriet Hewitt, Grace Guess, Virginia Moore, (gilt edge), Martha Rumbel (gilt edge), Dale Norton.

Tenth Grade: Paul Schmidt, Jeanne Rightor, Billy Jane Wolrum, Lanelle Brown. Eleventh Grade: Leland Anderson, Geraldine Kennedy, Claudine Kennedy, Eileen Anderson, Ruth Bremer, Ruby Bremer, Edelmiro Garza, Edwin Borman, Dorothy Morgan, Lois Wilson, Alice Ardeen Bridges (gilt edge).

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PHARR—"The Last Round Up" was the theme used for the Junior-Senior banquet of the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo high school, which marked the Upper Valley's social calendar Saturday evening when the Junior-Senior students assembled in the Palm and Spanish rooms of the Casa de Palmas Hotel in McAllen, for their last round up number.

In keeping with the theme, the rooms were uniquely decorated with real saddles, boots, spurs, cowboy hats and lariats, with arrangements of cactus and other native Valley plants adding a more realistic atmosphere and suggestive of a dude ranch setting.

The long tables were centered with pots of cactus placed full length at intervals, while miniature saddles, boots and lariats were used for place markers and favors.

Further emphasis were given the theme in the program which consisted of "Cowboy" songs and talks as follows: "Home On The Range," in unison. "Greetings" by the foreman, Robert Allen Evans, president of the junior class. Responsive talk by Tommy Flowers; "When the Bloom Is On the Sage," accordion solo, by Virginia Mae Maddux; "Bushwhacking"—looking back over the athletics of the year, by George Fleming; "My Little Buckaroo," vocal number by the Ranch girls, composed of P.S.J.A. juniors; "Riding the Range"—looking over other activities of the year, by Alta Marie Smith; "Branding"—a serious farewell talk on actions in life, by Mrs. Charles T. Decker; "There's An Empty Saddle In the Bunk House Tonight," sung in unison by the entire group, and closed the program which was followed by dancing in the Spanish rooms, with music furnished by Lyle Grace's ten-piece orchestra. Approximately 200 were in attendance for the banquet, consisting of juniors, seniors the high school faculty and retiring and incoming school board members.

Missionary Group Meets In Pharr

SAN JUAN—The Missionary group of the Dorcas Society met at the home of Mrs. Walter Good Thursday afternoon. Mrs. N. D. Meeker was in charge of the devotionals and Mrs. J. Beaty Smith gave the lesson which included a study of the Chinese Women Religious Lives.

Mrs. Carl Motley, Mrs. Paul Hetrick and Mrs. Dwight Cilley served refreshments to Mesdames John Zipp, C. Elliot, Armour Moore, J. Beaty Smith, J. E. Dodson, O. H. Stugard, R. E. Williams, Chet Warner, F. Schafroth, H. L. McCombs, Alfred Sorensen, W. A. DeMange, Meeker, Clifford Ruby, W. G. Rice, A. B. Cron and the hostess.

Slumber Party To Be Port Event

PORT ISABEL—Plans for a slumber party were completed at the Sub-Deb meeting at the home of Katherine Williams here Thursday afternoon, April 18. The meeting was opened by President Johnnie Marie Schmidt, the minutes read by the secretary, and the treasurer's report made. Followed a discussion on joining the Literary Guild.

It was also decided that the weekend of April 27 and 28 was to be spent at the home of Katherine Williams. All plan to go to church on Sunday morning and spend the rest of the day, "meandering" around the countryside. The meeting was adjourned and cookies, "Smacks" and cocoa were served.

Garden Pictures Are Shown Club

ALAMO—Mrs. W. H. Hall of Harlingen showed some beautiful pictures of gardens that she has taken over the state at the meeting of the Garden Club on Tuesday, Mrs. T. C. Downs, president, named Mrs. C. U. Reed to represent the club on the committee being appointed by the civic clubs of the city to take care of the clean up of vacant lots. She also named a committee to help the Band Mothers at their carnival to be held the last of the month.

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Raymondville Church Meets Thursday

RAYMONDVILLE — The Alice Ayers class of the Methodist church met with Mrs. F. E. Fisher at her home on Thursday afternoon.

Following business Mrs. Gerald Sensabough, accompanied by Mrs. B. S. Wright gave two musical readings: "Foolish Questions" and "Lilac Tree." As a reading she gave "The Glory Road."

Mrs. Wright pleased the guests with "Rustle of Spring" and "Moonlight Sonata."

The hostess used the vivid blooming cacti as colorful decorations.

Hot punch and sandwiches were served to about 25 members.

Donna Students Honor Teacher

DONNA—Thursday afternoon at four-thirty, thirty-six members of the fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh grades of the Donna schools and one mother, Mrs. Clifford Jester, gathered at the home of one of their teachers, Miss Sally Weaver, for a second meeting looking towards the permanent organization of a Girl Scout Troop.

The girls elected Joan Muckleroy president, decided upon Thursday at four as their regular meeting hour and reported a delightful hike and outdoor breakfast at six o'clock last Saturday with Mrs. Gayle Martin as assistant chaperone. Mrs. Jester, her daughters, Mary Louise and June Marie, and Dorothy Wheelock served the refreshments of punch and pretzels.

Band Mothers Plan Concert In McAllen

McALLEN—Upper Valley music and art enthusiasts will have the opportunity Tuesday, April 30, of hearing and seeing an unusual array of Valley talent at the show the McAllen Band Mothers Club will sponsor at the McAllen Junior High School auditorium.

Members of the club will meet Monday at 4 p.m. at the school auditorium to make final plays for the presentation of the "All Valley Talent Program," staged by Moulton (Ty) Cobb of Weslaco.

The program and those participating, chosen by Mr. Cobb, will be announced later, Mrs. T. W. Mahone, president of the Band Mothers said.

Preceding the talent program will be the presentation of the prize winning McAllen high school band in a concert.

Thirtieth Anniversary Honored In Alamo

ALAMO—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lenser were surprised by friends on their thirtieth anniversary. The evening was spent in playing games of forty-two, Mrs. Elser and E. J. Dube receiving high scores. Lunch was served to the following: Rev. and Mrs. Elser and family, E. J. Dube, Herbert Dube and family, R. Schrader and family, Elmer Mesenbring of McAllen, Ernest Biewener, John Benet of Pharr, Oscar Shultz, Henry Shultz, Carl Swantz, Mrs. Lindenburg, Arthur Kramer of Sharyland and Mrs. Minnie Erdman of Watertown, S. D.

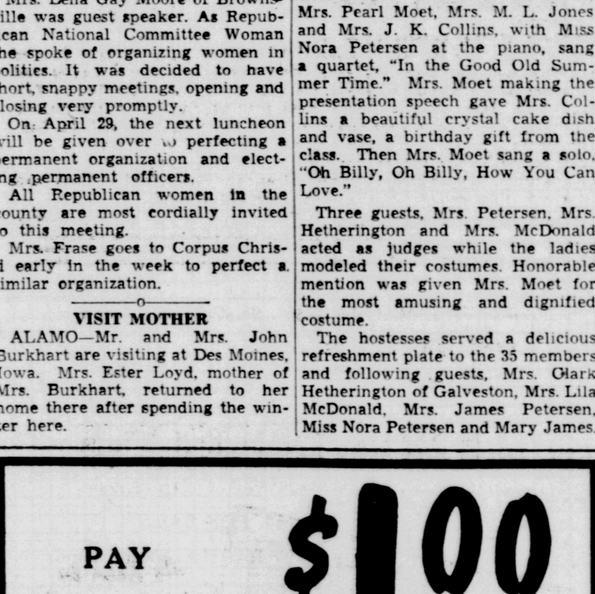
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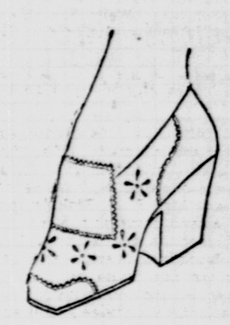
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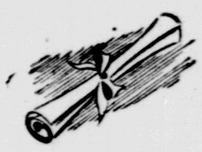


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FOR SALE: Boy's used bicycle in good condition, $12.00. 310 North 9th street, Harlingen.

BEAUTIFUL 10-foot oak curved-in glass show case, with compartment display top. Originally cost $150, now only $25. Rio Grande Hardware, Harlingen.

FOR SALE: 9 cylinder American Eaglet monoplane. Will sacrifice. See Herman Bookout at Sinclair Station, 202 North Commerce. Phone 1008, Harlingen.

THIRTEEN beautiful store lighting fixtures, latest design. 100 to 300 watts capacity. Practically new. Can be bought cheap. RIO GRANDE HARDWARE COMPANY, Harlingen.

9. FINANCIAL

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We Offer
A Friendly
Loan
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When you buy a car be fair to Valley business . . . . Finance it through a LOCAL Finance Company.

In doing this you not only help the Valley, but are helping yourself. If at sometime during the term of your loan you need a favor you can come nearer getting it through a local firm.

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New and Used Cars
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If you own an automobile we'll loan you any amount up to $200.00. Easy repayment terms . . . Strictly confidential dealings . . . See us today.

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No. 6 South 16th St. McAllen Phone 825

10. FOR SALE

10c. For Sale, Misc.

For Sale
At Bargain Prices

New Elevator Potato Diggers.
Landis No. 3 Harness Machine.
John Deere Tractor with Equipment.
Portable Houses, 8x14 and 8x10.
36x50 Corrugated Iron Warehouse.
Folding House Trailer, not mounted.
Baled Alfalfa and Corn.

PHILLIPS
LUMBER YARD
San Benito, Texas

10d. Boats, Accessories

EIGHT HORSE Out-Board Motor. Needs connecting rod. Sell for $10.00. H. P. Jordon, Combes.

10e. Radio Repairs, Equip.

RADIO SERVICE: Free inspection, satisfaction guaranteed. Phil Amsler, 2123 17th street, Victoria Heights, Phone 178, Brownsville.

10h. Machinery, Equipment

Two Real Buys

Oliver "70" with new motor, lights, starter, complete with two-row equipment.

Farmall complete with two-row equipment.

Both Can Be
Bought Right

GUY LEGGETT
IMPLEMENT CO.
209 W. Harrison Phone 63
Harlingen

11. LIVESTOCK

11a. Dogs, Cats, Pets

FOR SALE: Black, thoroughbred Pekingese dog, four months old, $15.00. Hotel Montezuma, room 4, Matamoros.

11c. Poultry, Supulies

LARGEST PRODUCTION sexed pullets and males and R.O.P. sired chicks in southwest. Prices no higher than for common chicks. R.O.P. sires out of 232-312 egg hens. Catalog Free. DIXIE POULTRY FARMS, Box 204, Brenham, Texas.

BABY CHICKS: Started chicks. All from blood-tested stock of high vitality. Only hatchery in the Valley with trap nest breeding farm. FISHER POULTRY FARM AND HATCHERY, Raymondville.

12. WANTED TO BUY

12a. Miscellaneous

WANTED: House trailer. Will pay cash. Prefer 12 or 14 foot. Write Box C-94, Monitor, McAllen.

12b. Let's Swap

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Tractor and automobile agency, Parts Parts Bins, Office equipment, well equipped shop doing good business. Take improved land or other trade for part. Box B-127, Star, Harlingen

12b. Let's Swap

HOUSE TRAILER to sleep four, month of June. Might swap use of country home for same. Box XX, Brownsville Herald, Brownsville.

NEED 1-3 to 1-2 carat diamond at once. Must be bargain. Box B-131 care of Star.

14. RENTALS

14a. Apartments

SUMMER COMFORT—Deluxe cottage for two. Furnished. Phone 867, Harlingen.

SMALL APARTMENT: Private bath, with or without Frigidaire. Innerspring mattress. All bills paid. 302 East Harrison, Harlingen.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED apartments, houses Desirable bedrooms. Listings appreciated Mrs. J. L. Swann, phone 1169-W. Harlingen.

COOL, FURNISHED, 4-room apartment, third floor. Utilities paid. Mrs. L. D. Jones, telephone 734, Brownsville.

LARGE, COOL, newly furnished apartment with Venetian blinds. Utilities paid. 1842 West Washington street, Brownsville.

MAY DAY Apartments: 139 Washington, East; efficiency apartments; all utilities included in rent. Phone 773, Brownsville.

FURNISHED SOUTHEAST apartment in duplex. Electrical refrigeration. Garage. 1131 West Levee, phone 1611-W, Brownsville.

UNIQUE APARTMENTS: Attractively furnished and clean. No children or pets. Utilities paid. Phone 1615-J, Brownsville.

SWEENY APARTMENTS: Cool, furnished, electrical refrigeration. Rates extra moderate. Garage. Close in. First and Adams, Brownsville.

WANTED: Permanent tenant for May 1. Modern, cool, well furnished apartment. Adults only. Telephone 964, Brownsville.

NICELY FURNISHED apartments, close in, $18 to $50. Utilities paid. Nel-Roy Apartments, phone 642, Brownsville.

GLENWOOD APARTMENTS: Block from post office. Nicely furnished, utilities paid. Rates moderate. Telephone 1512, Brownsville.

COOL ROOM with adjoining bath, kitchen, home privileges. Also garage. 32 Southeast Adams, phone 954, Brownsville.

GARAGE APARTMENT, furnished, with garage. Cool for summer months. Telephone 460, Brownsville.

FURNISHED APARTMENT in the Alonso, corner 6th and Levee. Phone 734, Mrs.Egbert, 934 St. Charles, Brownsville.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT: Utilities paid. See Mrs. K. P. Belden, 418 East Harrison, Harlingen.

FURNISHED SLEEPING room for gentleman only. Available the 21st. 311 East Jackson. Phone 357, Harlingen.

NEW APARTMENTS, very cool. New gas refrigerator, new innerspring mattresses. $25.00 month. Adults. 318 East Polk, Harlingen.

14. RENTALS

14a. Apartments

CLEAN THREE-ROOM modernistic attic apartment. Cool, fully insulated. Located at 1010 East Madison. Phone 142. George H. Beck Lumber Co., or 289-W, Harlingen.

HALL APARTMENTS: Furnished apartments, 521 E. Tyler, Harlingen.

14b. Rooms

FOR RENT: Front bedroom. Gentlemen only. 311 East Jackson, Harlingen. Phone 357.

BEDROOM WITH GARAGE for rent. Men only. 407 West Elizabeth, Brownsville.

14c. Houses

FOR RENT: Good 4-room furnished house. North 11th street, Mrs. Womeldorf, 214 South Main, McAllen.

MODERN FIVE ROOM House for rent. 409 East Jackson. Telephone 6010-F-31, Harlingen.

SEVEN-ROOM brick home, beautifully furnished. Tile floored kitchen, bath, porches. 321 West Fillmore $55.00. Phone 1040 or 1129, Harlingen.

SIX-ROOM FURNISHED HOUSE: Corner lot, lovely yard. Also three-room furnished duplex. Phone Harlingen, 704-M.

SIX ROOM furnished house. 722 East Pierce. Double garage. Inquire 310 South 5th Street, Harlingen.

5-ROOM furnished house for rent to responsible couple. Going on vacation 4-5 weeks. Box B-133, Star, Harlingen.

FOR RENT: Four-room modern house. Water furnished. $15.00. Telephone 128 or 28, Brownsville.

UNFURNISHED HOUSE, 105 Avalon, $17.50. 44 Belvidere, $20.00. Phone 846, or 872, Brownsville.

PERMANENT, MODERN 7-rooms: electricity, Butane gas hot water system and modern bath; city water; garage; nice lawn. All in first-class condition. Will be vacated and ready for new tenant April 15th. Boca Chica highway and Central avenue, near Airport. Apply on premises. O. A. Pechstein, Route 1, Box 45, Brownsville.

PERMANENT, MODERN, furnished 7-room cottage. Electric stove, hot water heater, refrigerator, hen house and yard. Fruit for family use, garden. A. C. Capron El Jardin Hotel, Brownsville.

14d. Room and Board

SPECIAL LUNCH 25c drink included Johnson's Air-Conditioned Cafe. 210 W Jackson. Harlingen

NICE, COOL bedroom and board close to airport and Brownsville port. Central avenue, El Jardin. Telephone 6016-F-2, Brownsville.

ROOM, BOARD, $7.00 a week. Two blocks from postoffice. 851 Washington street, Brownsville.

15. WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT: 150 acres good vegetable land. Will give 1-5th rent. Must be where I can water Box 431, Pharr.

FOR THE NEXT five months, beautifully furnished, one bedroom brick house on North 10th street at $35 to adults who can give satisfactory credentials. Servants quarters on premises. Services optional. Telephone 539, McAllen.

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

HOO RAY

Business is good, prices 'way too low. Too bad on seller but good for broker and buyer. We sell a house, the renter has to move and make way for the new owner. The renter is then dissatisfied with moving, so he buys. On and on it goes. He forces another to move which means if you as tenant are to be safe, you must lease or buy a home. It's really a pleasure for us to help you buy, build or finance a home in the country or city.
LOOK! A beautiful good-as-new 5-room brick, large rooms, one of the choicest residential sections in Harlingen. Just see it for yourself. A real buy, cash or terms. 1213 East Polk St. Near all schools. May we help you finance it?
A REAL BARGAIN: An A-1 good-as-new large 5-room frame on choice paved street. Only $2,000.00. $200.00 cash; balance less than rent.
Beautiful good-as-new stucco home, choicest part of Harlingen. $4,250.00. Only $500.00 cash.
LOOK! A good 6-room frame at a real bargain. See it for yourself, all in A-1 repairs, paved street, near school, nice yard, easy payments and only $250.00 cash. Open for inspection on Sunday. Go see it. 1110 E. Madison.
HOW can you pass up that beautiful new 6-room solid brick home at 205 W. Buchanan St. at the "below cost of construction" price, with only a small cash payment?
NEW F.H.A. 6-room brick. East Van Buren St. near high school, a real buy, small down payment, monthly payments less than rent.
Folks, just follow our list from day to day. See them drop from our ads; we are selling them. If you want to buy, call 139; if you want to sell, call 139.

Willingham Realty
Harlingen, Texas

FOR SALE: New Modern 5-room home on one-half acre. North 10th, $1,500.00. Modern frame house, 11-acre grove. Just outside city limits, $6,000.000. Mrs. Womeldorf, 214 So. Main, McAllen.

FOR SALE: Most livable and comfortable 6-room home, 6th and Gumwood, McAllen. Low down payment, balance like rent. Phone 454, McAllen.

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

SELLING
Liquidation and Distressed properties. Farms, Homes, Lots, Groves, etc.

Lee B. James
Traveler's Hotel Phone 38 or 1478
Brownsville

REDUCED PRICES!

This spring, your house-buying money will go farther than ever before, because of these advantages that HOLC offer you:
New low interest rate of only 4½% per year on the unpaid balance.
Low monthly payments that compare with rent.
Only 10% down.
No extra expense or red tape connected with completing the purchase.
Look over the following:
1746 HAYES STREET
1604 MORTON STREET
1414 ARTHUR STREET
202 N. W. 13TH STREET

TODD and STOBAUGH
434 - 11th St. Phone 183
BROWNSVILLE

GOOD INVESTMENTS
WITH FINE INCOME

5-room stucco house—good condition, garage, close in—Rents for $22.50. Price just $1500.00, or 18 per cent interest.
5-room frame house—Fair condition, garage and work shop combined—Shade trees, about 3 lots—Rents for $18.00. Price just $1350.00 or 16 per cent interest.
4-room frame house—Fair condition. Garage, corner lot, 10 fruit trees. Close in. Rents for $15.00. Price just $1250.00, or 15 per cent interest.
14 acres—all in cultivation, 4-room house, paved road—well, electricity. Will accept $250 cash, balance like F.H.A. or rent. Price $2250.00.
RESTAURANT
Well equipped—good business. Includes building 40x60 on main highway. Investment $2300.00. Owner selling on account of health for only $1475.00, with terms.
See
Tom B. Bowman
Office Colbath Hotel Harlingen

16b. Lots for Sale

Sold!

A few days ago I offered you thru these columns real bargains in City Lots—observers of values bought most of them within the week. I now offer another set of excellent buys.

In Quickly Developing Villa Maria Addn., corner and inside lots well located, being lots 4 & 5, blk. 12, each $325.00

West Elizabeth Street at 7th—The best Bargain of the year. Corner and inside lots being nos. 5 & 6, Blk. 115-A Stillman Addn. The two lots for $1500.00

In Beautiful Los Ebanos on Palm Blvd. 150 ft. front by 160 ft. in depth near Ernst home..$1500.00

Also in Los Ebanos:
Lot 19 Blk. 6 ..... $1500.00
Lots 1 & 12 Blk. 10, each $1000.00

LIST YOUR PROPERTY
FOR SALE WITH . . .

C. H. COLGIN
410-12th Phone 63
Brownsville

Money Talks

$2000.00 buys nice newly decorated 6-room home with 3 bedrooms, front porch and screened in back porch. On corner lot in Victoria Heights. $200.00 cash; balance $19.91 per month including principal and 5% interest.

$2500.00 buys large 5-room house with front porch, screened in back porch and double garage. Close in on Southeast Washington Street. $750.00 cash; balance $20.90 per month including principal and interest.

$2500.00 buys modern 5-room Spanish type bungalow with large front terrace, screened in back porch, breakfast nook, garage and work room. $250.00 cash; balance $17.80 per month including principal and 5% interest.

S. C. GRAHAM
and COMPANY
REALTORS
Phone 179 Marine Arcade Bldg.
Brownsville

16c. Farms, Ranches

FOR SALE

Ranches, Dry Land Farms
Irrigated Farms
Lake Front Homesites

LLOYD PARKER
OLMITO, TEXAS

TO SETTLE AN ESTATE
WE OFFER

150 Acres all in cultivation, irrigated, two sets improvements, one mile city limits Harlingen, block off pavement. 40.00 per acre. One crop cabbage at half price of Friday's will pay for it.
5-room modern home, just completed, approved loan $2750.00, price $3250.00
10 acre grove, 10 years old, on pavement west of Combes, $150.00 per acre. Have party will loan $1000.00 to a purchaser.

HERREN REALTY CO.
Phone 56 Harlingen

16e. For Sale or Trade

TRADE: Best eight-unit apartment house in Oklahoma City. Pays 12 per cent on $40,000.00. Occupancy for past year 96 per cent. My equity for clear, well located citrus grove. Mrs. Ora Lee Hoover, 2701 North Walker street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

16. REAL ESTATE

16c. Farms, Ranches

For Sale
1,400 Acres

Well located out of irrigation district, close to highly developed part of Rio Grande Valley, on concrete highway, when planted to Rhodes grass will pasture 500 head of cattle, also good cotton, potato and citrus land. Can be bought at a price that will be a real bargain for anyone. Consider some trade. Write or phone:

E. H. BRIGGS
Harlingen

16g. Wanted To Buy

WANTED TO RENT WITH OPTION TO BUY: 1 to 5 acres of land adjoining the highway and located either in or adjacent to any one of the following cities: Brownsville, San Benito, Harlingen, Weslaco, Mercedes, La Feria, Alamo, Pharr, San Juan, Donna, Mission, Edinburg, Raymondville, Mission and Rio Grande City. Absolutely no reply will be made to letters that do not set forth the full facts of location, ownership and annual or yearly rental per acre desired. All replies will be held in strict confidence. Address Box C-98, Monitor, McAllen, Texas.

16h. Business Property

FOR SALE OR RENT: Well located corner building for rent with modern offices. Ideal for warehouse for jobber, manufacturer or machine shop 3600 square feet of floor space, 2400 feet concreted, 6,000 square feet well fenced. Inquire of N. L. Koppel, Harlingen, Texas.

17. NOTICES

17a. Announcements

NOTICE: I will not be responsible for any debts other than those contracted by myself. Signed: G. C. Grisham.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Under this heading are published the names of candidates for public office. The fees for this service can be obtained at the Brownsville Herald office.
Names of candidates will be carried in the announcement column until the July Primary.

Valley Sunday Star-Monitor-Herald is authorized to make the following announcements of candidates subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

For District Attorney:
ROY A. SCOTT, Corpus Christi

For Sheriff:
WILL CABLER, Brownsville.

17d Professional Notices

DR. H. C. SAMPLE has moved his office to 14-15 Marine Arcade Building. 1045 Levee, Brownsville.

DR. D. C. ROUGEOU
DENTIST
209-210 Baxter Bldg.
HARLINGEN, TEXAS
Telephone—Harlingen 1467

17e. Travel Opportunities

LEAVING FOR LUBBOCK Wednesday. Can take three adult passengers. 521 East Filmore; or call 1057-J., Harlingen.

DRIVING to Milwaukee April 28, can take one or two passengers. Mrs. Clara Bernard, La Feria.

17f. Cafe and Hotels

RIO GRANDE HOTEL: Cool rooms, reasonable rates. Hot and cold running water. Brownsville.

NOW OPEN
MILNER HOTEL
Formerly Riverside Hotel
$2.50 PER WEEK
Guest Laundry Free!
Levee and 13th Phone 481
Brownsville

WHITE KITCHEN
419 Twelfth Street
BUSINESS LUNCHES
Private dining room. Serving the Valley for over ten years.
BROWNSVILLE

DAY'S NEWS OF NATION'S MARKETS

FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKETS

VALLEY CARLOT SHIPMENTS FOR FRIDAY

Grapefruit 14, Beets 13, Beets and Carrots 11, Cabbage 12, Carrots 12, Onions 3, Parsley 7, Potatoes 26, Mixed Vegetables 30 cars.

Totals to Date This Season by Rail and Boat: Grapefruit 11119, Oranges 872, Mixed Citrus 903, Lemons 2, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 123, eBans 3, Beets 425, Beets and Carrots 391, Broccoli 129, Cabbage 3120, Kraut Cabbage 35, Carrots 916, Dandelion 2, Endive 11, Escarole 1, Frozen Beans 1, Frozen Peas 5, Frozen Vegetables 1, Greens 6, Lettuce 1, Onions 15, Parsley 119, Peas 107, Peppers 136, Potatoes 516, Radishes 26, Rhubarb 1, Spinach 18, Squash 2, Tomatoes 585, Mixed Vegetables 6286, total 25,877.

To the Same Date Last Season: Citrus Fruits 16,637, Vegetables 10,880, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 84, total 27,601 cars.

VALLEY TRUCK SHIPMENTS FRIDAY (39 Trucks)

Grapefruit: 80 lb Boxes 6784, Bushel 20, 80 lb Sacks 310, 50 lb Sacks 16.
Oranges: 80 lb Boxes 656, Bushels 51, 40 lb Sacks 203.
Carlot Equiv April 19: Grapefruit 17.8, Oranges 2.0, Tangerines 0, total 19.8 cars.
Carlot Equiv to Date: Grapefruit 6237.2, Oranges 3946.2, Tangerines 113.1, total 10296.5 cars.
Carlot Equiv to Date Last Season: Grapefruit 4769.0, Oranges 4429.1, total 9198.1 cars.

FLORIDA TRUCK CITRUS SHIPMENTS REPORTED FOR FRIDAY

Carlot Equiv April 19: Grapefruit 12, Oranges 29, Tangerines 0, total 41 cars.

AVERAGE AUCTION PRICES OF GRAPEFRUIT SOLD AND UNREPORTED FRIDAY

PHILADELPHIA: Texas Marsh 701 Boxes Gen Avg 2.78, High 3.45, Low 2.15.
Texas Foster Pink 156 Boxes Gen Avg 2.58, High 2.80, Low 2.10.
Fla Marsh 708 Boxes Gen Avg 2.36, High 2.97, Low 1.87.
Fla Other 679 Boxes Gen Avg 2.06, High 2.46, Low 1.58.
Fla Other 432 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.30, High 1.50, Low 1.13.
NEW YORK: Texas Pinks 385 Boxes Gen Avg 2.43, High 2.47, Low 2.39.
Fla Marsh 4580 Boxes Gen Avg 2.74, High 3.47, Low 2.00.
Fla Other 1040 Boxes Gen Avg 2.12, High 2.71, Low 1.68.
Fla Marsh 1985 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.91, High 2.41, Low 1.37.
Fla Other 1130 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.58, High 1.73, Low 1.38.
BOSTON: No auction sales Friday.

HEARNE PASSINGS OF TEXAS CITRUS REPORTED APRIL 19 FOR THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS

Grapefruit: 1 each Minneapolis, Winnipeg.

HOUSTON PASSINGS OF TEXAS CITRUS REPORTED APRIL 19 FOR THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS

Grapefruit: 6 Chicago; 3 each St. Louis, Philadelphia; 1 each Toronto, Minneapolis, New Orleans, Dixon, Detroit, Cedar Falls. Oranges: 1 each Dallas, Chicago.

FORT WORTH PASSINGS OF TEXAS CITRUS REPORTED APRIL 20 FOR THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS

Grapefruit: 1 each Vancouver, Dallas.

KANSAS CITY PASSINGS OF TEXAS CITRUS REPORTED APRIL 20 FOR THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS

Grapefruit: 1 each Decatur, Minneapolis.

ST. LOUIS PASSINGS OF TEXAS CITRUS REPORTED APRIL 20 FOR THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS

Grapefruit: 3 Chicago; 2 each New York, Peoria; 1 each Cincinnati, Cleveland, Milwaukee, Pittsburgh.

SALES OF TEXAS CITRUS ON SATURDAY MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKETS IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES

FORT WORTH: Grapefruit: Market Steady Marsh wire and nail Boxes: Comb and US 2s medium 1.50-1.75, Specials, 3s and Culls 1.15-1.35.
Oranges: Market Firm Valencias nail and wire Boxes: Small-Med US 2s and Specials 3.00-3.50, Large 2.75-3.00.
DENVER: Grapefruit: Market Steady: Marsh US Comb: Std Boxes 1.65-1.35, Wire Boxes: Large 1.25, Small-Med 1.50-1.75.
KANSAS CITY: Grapefruit: Market Slow Stronger Marsh Specials: Std Boxes 2.25-2.50, Wire Boxes 2.25-2.50, Marsh Pink Boxes wrapped US Comb: 70s and Smaller 2.75-2.85, 80s 2.50, US No. 2s 2.25.
MINNEAPOLIS: (Street sales early Saturday) Grapefruit: Market Firm Marsh No. 2s and Specials: Std Boxes 2.75-3.25, Wire Boxes 2.50-2.90.

VEGETABLES

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR APRIL 19

Lower Rio Grande Valley:

Cabbage: Demand fairly good, market steady. Mostly fair quality. L. A. crates, domestic round type, straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms: $1.35-1.50, few high as $1.75; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms: $1.35-1.50, few high as $1.75; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. cash track too few sales to quote. Top ice extra. Paid growers $15.00-20.00, few $22.00-25.00, per ton for truckloads delivered at packing sheds.

Carrots: Demand moderate, market firm. Straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms: L. A. crates, 6 dozen bunches, $1.00-1.10, mostly $1.05-1.10, half crates, 4 dozen bunches, 65-75c, mostly 70-75c; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. cash track: L. A. crates, 6 dozen bunches, mostly $1.00, half crates, 4 dozen bunches, mostly 65c, few 60c. Top ice extra. Paid growers 15-30c, mostly 25c, per crate of 6 dozen bunches in field.

Beets: Demand fair, market about steady. Half crates, 2 dozen bunches, straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms: 55-65c; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. cash track: 50-55c, mostly 55c. Top ice extra. Paid growers 10-20c per crate of 6 dozen bunches in field.

Laredo District—Texas.

Onions: Haulings increasing. Good wire inquiry. Demand fair, market slightly weaker. Carloads f.o.b. cash track: 50 lb sacks, Yellow Bermudas, US Commercial, 65 to 80% US No. 1 quality, $1.60-1.65, mostly $1.60, no grade indicated, few $1.50; Crystal White Wax, US Commercial, 65-80% US No. 1 quality, $1.85-2.00; carloads f.o.b. usual terms: Yellow Bermudas US Commercial, 65-80% US No. 1 quality, few sales, $1.60-1.65.

Brawley, California.

Carrots: Demand active and exceeds supply, especially on best stock. Market firm to slightly stronger. Carloads f.o.b. cash track: L. A. crates, 6 dozen bunches, $1.25-1.35, occasional sale lower. Top ice extra. Some wire sales and consigned. Some shipments on guaranteed advances. Inspections Thursday, 35 cars: 20% graded US No. 1, 54% graded 90% US No. 1 quality, 26% graded below 90% US No. 1 quality.

Belle Glade—Lake Okeechobee Section—Florida.

Beans: Haulings moderate. Demand fair, market slightly weaker. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truckloads cash at packing houses: bushel hampers Bountiful 1.25-1.50, one car $1.60, ordinary to fair quality, 90c-$1.25, some poor quality, 50-55c; Stringless Black Valentines, $1.25-1.75, some poor, $1.00; Tendergreens, $1.35-1.50, some $1.60, ordinary to fair $1.00-1.25; Wax, flat type, ordinary quality, $1.00.

Belle Glade—Florida.

Cabbage: Haulings moderate. On good stock, demand good, market slightly stronger, on ordinary stock, demand slow, market dull. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truckloads cash at packing houses: 1½ bushel hampers, domestic round type, 65-80c. Most shipments ordinary quality and rolled unsold. Corrections received on Friday's f.o.b. add, some fine 85c-90c.

POTATOES

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR FRIDAY

Lower Rio Grande Valley: Demand slow, market steady. Carloads f.o.b. usual terms: Bliss Triumphs washed US 1s 50 lb sacks 1.35, US 1s size B 92½c; 50 lb crts US 1s 1.45, US 1s size B 1.02½. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truck loads cash at packing houses 7½c less. Unwashed 7½c less. Precooling $25 per car extra. Paid growers per 100 lbs delivered at packing sheds US 1s 2.20, size B 1.35.

Wasco Edison District—California: Haulings moderate. Early demand slow, late demand improvin gto fairly good, market about steady. Carloads f.o.b. cash track: Long Whites US 1s 100 lb sacks 1.25-1.30, 50 sacks 1.35-1.40, occasional low as 1.25 per cwt.; 100 lb sacks size B mostly around 90c, 50 lb sacks size B 90-95c per cwt. Bliss Triumphs US 1s 50 lm sacks 2 cars 90c per sack. Some shipments on contract, some shipments rolled for delivered sales, few consigned.

Belle Glade—Florida.

Haulings very light. Demand light, market about steady. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truck loads cash at packing houses: Bliss Triumphs US 1s bu crts. 1.25, size B .95-1.00.

HOUSTON PASSINGS OF TEXAS POTATOES REPORTED APRIL 20 FOR 24 HOURS

15 St. Louis, 12 Kansas City, 12 Chicago, 2 each Cincinnati, Atlanta, 1 each Ft. Worth, Canton, Toronto.

HEARNE PASSINGS OF TEXAS POTATOES REPORTED APRIL 20 FOR 24 HOURS

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SALES ON SATURDAY MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKETS IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES

Unless otherwise stated quotations are on Bliss Triumphs US No. 1s.

CLEVELAND: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.85-.90, Florida bu crts washed 1.60-1.75.
PITTSBURGH: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.80-1.85, Florida bu crts washed 1.75-1.90.
FT. WORTH: Texas 50 lb sacks 1.40-2.00, mostly around 1.75, US 1s 1½ inch min. mostly 1.50, Size B and US 2s 1.00-1.25.
CINCINNATI: Texas 50 lb sacks 1.75-2.00, Size B 1.40-1.50, Florida bu crts 1.75-2.00, Size B 1.40-1.50.
DETROIT: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.65-1.75, unwashed 1.50, Florida bu crts washed 1.75-2.00, few 2.10-2.15.
KANSAS CITY: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.50-1.65.
CHICAGO: Track Sales Less Carlots: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.50-1.55, unwashed 1.40, Size B washed 1.25, unwashed 1.10, Florida bu crts washed 1 car 1.35.
ST. LOUIS: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.50-1.65, unwashed 1.35-1.40, Size B 1.25, Florida bu crts washed 1.50-1.60, few best 1.75, Carlot Track Sales: (late Fri.) Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1 car 1.50.

ST. LOUIS PASSINGS OF TEXAS POTATOES REPORTED APRIL 20 FOR 24 HOURS

11 Chicago, 5 Cincinnati, 2 New York, 1 each Cleveland, Detroit, Washington.

COTTON

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK—(AP)—Cotton futures advanced moderately in quite trading Saturday.
Futures closed 4-8 higher.

Old contract:	Open	High	Low	Last	
May	10.70	10.75	10.69	10.75	+ 4
July	10.42	10.48	10.42	10.48	+ 5
New contract:					
May	10.85	10.90	10.85	10.90	+ 5
July	10.57	10.60	10.57	10.64N	+ 5
Oct.	10.08	10.14	10.08	10.14	+ 5
Dec.	9.96	10.02	9.96	10.03N	+ 5
Jan.	9.91	9.95	9.91	9.98N	+ 5
March	9.82	9.89	9.82	9.89	+ 4

Middling spot (⅞-inch) 10.91N, Up 4. N—Nominal.

MIDDLING COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The average price of middling 15-16ths inch cotton at 10 designated southern spot markets Saturday was 5 higher at 10.66 cents a pound; average for the past 30 market days was 10.54. Middling ⅞ inch cotton was 10.48 cents a pound.

TEXAS COTTON

DALLAS—(AP)—Cotton 10.30; Houston, 10.06; Galveston, 10.62.

SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Spot cotton closed quiet, 5 higher. Sales 724, low middling 9.67, middling 10.77, good middling 11.32. Receipts 2,281. Stock 696,056.

LIVESTOCK

TEXAS LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle, salable 150, total 350; calves, salable and total 100; Saturday's trade nominal. Compared close last week: Practically all classes cattle and calves fully 50c higher; well finished mature steers scarce; top yearling steers 10.25, heifers 10.00, beef cows 7.00, cutters 5.00 down; top bulls 6.75; slaughter calves up to 9.50, freely and vealers to 10.00; and stock heifer calves 9.50 down; some lightweights above these prices; best yearling stock steers 10.00.

Hogs, salable 300, total 450; steady with Friday's average; top 6.20; good and choice 180-270 lb 6.10-20; good and choice 150-175 lb 5.50-6.05; stocker pigs down to 3.50; packing sows steady, 4.25-50. Compared with week ago good butchers 45c higher.

Sheep salable and total 150; Saturday's trade nominal. Compared with last week's close: Spring lambs mostly 25c higher, some sales 50c up; clipped fat feeder lambs steady to 25c higher, wethers steady; bulk spring lambs 8.00-9.25; culls down to 6.50; good wooled fed lambs 9.00; clipped fat lambs mostly 7.50-8.00; 2-year-old shorn wethers 5.50-6.50; shorn aged wethers mostly 4.00 down with early week's top 4.25; clipped feeder lambs 5.50-6.50; spring feeder lambs 7.00 down.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Salable hogs 500; total 4,500; odd lots good to choice 190-320 lbs 5.80-6.00; holdover 500; compared week ago: 150-270 lbs 45-50 higher; heavier butchers 50-60 up; packing sows 50-60 higher.

Salable cattle 100; calves none; top 12.35; best long yearlings 12.25; light yearlings 11.40; very little below 8.50 at close, bulk 8.65-11.00; best weight fed heifers 10.65; light offerings 10.00; cows very scarce, strong, cutters sellin gat 5.90-6.00 freely; heavy sausage bulls to 7.15, and selected weighty vealers to 12.00.

Salable sheep 2,000; total 4,500; bulk fed wooled westerns 9.85-10.25; two loads Colorados 10.50; light and unfinished offerings 9.75 down; 117 lbs wooled Colorado 9.85; deck 115 lbs clippers 8.75, with 96 lbs fall shorn lambs at 9.75; wooled ewes quotable down from 5.50. Compared Friday last week: Fed wooled western lambs, mostly Colorados, 50-60 lower; week's bulk 10.00-10.75, early top 11.00, late peak 10.50, with bulk handyweights Friday 10.00-10.25; shorn lambs largely 8.75-9.75, with most sales 9.10-9.50; weighty wooled westerns averaging 117 lbs 9.85, most light and unfinished offerings 9.75 down; best wooled western ewes 5.50, clippers 4.50, most natives 3.00-4.25, odd head to 5.00.

GRAIN

CHICAGO CASH GRAINS

CHICAGO—(AP)—Cash wheat No. 2 hard 1.13⅛; No. 2 yellow hard 1.12¾-1.13; sample 1.03.
Corn No. 1 mixed mainly white 74½; No. 1 yellow 67-68¼; No. 2, 66¼-68¼.
Oats No. 1 feed 41; No. 2 white 45-45¾.

TEXAS GRAINS

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Demand was good for grains here Saturday.
Wheat No. 1 soft red winter nom 1.15¾-17¾; No. 1 hard, according to protein and billing, 1.11¾-15¾.
Barley No. 2 nom 66-67; No. 3 nom 63-66.
Sorghums No. 2 yellow milo per 100 lbs nom 1.38-40; No. 3 yellow milo nom 1.35-37. No. 2 white kafir nom 1.35-37; No. 3 white kafir nom 1.32-34.
Corn, shelled, No. 2 mixed 86¼-88¾; No. 2 yellow 83¾-84¼.
Oats No. 2 red 46-47; No. 3 red 45-46.

CHICAGO GRAINS

CHICAGO—(AP)—Wheat prices closed with slight net gains Saturday after the market had fluctuated nervously most of the short session.
Strength in securities and prospects of only little precipitation encouraged buying that offset profit taking and hedge selling. Some traders regarded a rally in Italian bonds as evidence of lessened tension in the Mediterranean.

BOSTON WOOL

BOSTON—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—A very moderate improvement in the wool market was maintained during the past week. Small sales of spot wools were somewhat more numerous and comprised a broader selection of wools than in the previous week. Prices continued somewhat irregular. Prices were inclined to ease on scattered sales of territory wools. Quotations on fleece wools were quoted at 33 to 34 cents, in the grease, for fine delaine, at 36 to 37 cents for half bloods, and at 35 to 37 cents for three eighths and quarter bloods.

BUTTER AND EGGS

CHICAGO—(AP)—Butter 812,225; easy; creamery—93 score, 27; 92, 26½; 91, 26¼; 90, 26¼; 89, 26; 88, 25½; 90, centralized carlots 26¾.
Eggs 40,384; steady; storage packed extras 18¼; firsts 18; other prices unchanged.

METALS

NEW YORK—(AP)—Copper steady; electrolytic spot, Conn. Valley, 11.37½-50; export, Pas NY, 11.37½-50. Tin steady; spot and nearby 47.25; forward 46.75. Lead steady; spot NY 5.10-15; East St. Louis 4.95. Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and forward 4.75. Others unchanged.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK—(AP)—Cotton futures met with little resistance in a forward shift that put final prices up 4 to 5 points Saturday.
Selling was kept to a minimum.
Some buying was inspired by news of heavy rains in the eastern and central parts of the belt, which cotton experts said would probably further delay planting and replanting in those areas where recent frost damage was heaviest. From important growing areas in the south came reports the crop is two to three weeks behind.
Small opening losses, due in part in Bombay selling, were quickly overcome and sufficient buying kept coming in to take care of liquidating and hedging sales.
Exports Friday 12,679 bales; season so far 5,755,877. Port receipts 4,508; port stocks 2,699,838.

STOCK LIST

Al Chem&Dye	3	177	177	177
Allis-Ch Mfg	4	33⅝	33½	33⅝
Am Can	1	115¼	115¼	115¼
Am M&Fdy	2	13⅝	13½	13½
Am Metal	4	22½	22	22
Am Rad&St S	14	8½	8½	8½
Am Roll Mill	7	15½	15	15½
Am Smelt & R	11	51	50½	51
Am Tel&Tel	12	174	173	174

Screen Calendar NEWS OF LATEST MOTION PICTURES Advance Films

New Array Of Disney Characters Seen In Feature-Length Cartoon

'Pinocchio' Scheduled At Arcadia

Walt Disney's second full-length feature cartoon "Pinocchio," filmed in multiplane technicolor brings to the screen a strange array of new characters.

Always wanting to be fair, Disney has given the starring part in "Pinocchio," to a boy, inasmuch as he followed a "ladies first" policy and made his first feature, "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," around a girl.

The remaining cast of typical Disney characters include Geppetto, the kindly old wood-carver who lives with his pets, Figaro the kitten, and Cleo the goldfish. He carves the little wooden puppet Pinocchio and in answer to his wish for a real boy, the Blue Fairy endows the puppet with life, appointing Jiminy Cricket as his conscience. The Fox (J. Worthington Foulfellow) and the Cat (Giddy) are small-fry comic villians who sell Pinocchio to Stromboli, the unscrupulous puppet master. The Coachman buys stupid little boys and takes them to Pleasure Island where they eventually turn into donkeys. Lampwick is the toughest of the little boys on Pleasure Island; and Monstro is the Whale who guards the entrance to Pleasure Island and swallows ships.

"Pinocchio" is booked for showing Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.



Walt Disney's newest cartoon character "Pinocchio" seen in the title role of his full-length feature of the same title which is scheduled for showing Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.

'IT'S A DATE' IS HIT FILM

Deanna Durbin's Film At Capitol

Deanna Durbin makes it seven straight hits with her latest starring picture "It's a Date," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville.

In many ways the picture is Miss Durbin's best to date. It has the most colorful setting . . . romantic Hawaii. Its comedy rates with the best and the songs are again outstanding.

One of the star's finest supporting casts shares credit for her latest triumph. Kay Frances, as Deanna's mother, a famous and glamourous actress, returns to high favor with an excellent performance and Walter Pidgeon, as romantic interest for both Deanna and Kay, has perhaps the most successful role of his career.

The story begins on Broadway, moves speedily to Maine and finally to Hawaii. Deanna and Miss Francis are offered the same stage role by a producer, a part Deanna tries to refuse when she learns her mother wants to play it. Pretending love for Pidgeon and saying she will "give up her career," Deanna sets out in pursuit of the hopeless Pidgeon, whose love for the mother is secretly returned. Who gets the role, and who gets man, is unfolded in surprising and suitable finish to one of the year's most entertaining pictures.

'Virginia City' Is Epic Of Early West

Intrigue behind the scenes of the building of the West gives impetus to the story of "Virginia City," in which Errol Flynn and Miriam Hopkins star.

For all its Western background, the film is the story of the Civil War and the attempt of Confederate sympathizers to smuggle a shipment of gold out of the famous mining town of the Comstock Lode to aid their cause. Flynn is the Yankee officer detailed to stop the shipment, Miriam the Southern girl trying to outwit him.

Heading their supporting cast is Randolph Scott and with him are Humphrey Bogart, Frank McHugh, Alan Hale, Guinn Williams, John Lite land others. There will be a color cartoon and a newsreel on the program.

"Virginia City" is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco.



Linda Darnell and John Payne co-starred in the screen's romantic comedy hit "Star Dust," booked ofr current showing Sunday and Monday at the Palace Theatre in McAllen; Tuesday and Wednesday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Wednesday and Thursday.

Linda Darnell Seen In Romantic Comedy

'Star Dust' Is Story Of Hollywood

Linda Darnell, who had a sensational rise to a top-spot in popularity is co-starred with John Payne, Roland Young and Charlotte Greenwood in "Star Dust," a romantic story of the motion picture industry itself.

Miss Darnell, a former Dallas, Texas girl first appeared in the leading role of "Hotel For Women" and her second picture was with Tyrone Power in "Day-Time Wife."

The story of "Star Dust" might well be a chapter out of Miss Darnell's own meteoric rise to stardom as it presents her and Payne as a couple of plucky small-town youngsters scrapping for their place in the Hollywood sun.

"Star Dust" is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Palace Theatre in McAllen, Tuesday and Wednesday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Wednesday and Thursday.

David Niven Portrays Role Of Master Thief

Starring David Niven and Olivia De Havilland together for the first time on the screen Samuel Goldwyn's "Raffles" is a fast moving story of thrill-packed adventure and romance and is scheduled for showing Tuesday and Wednesday at the State Theatre in Mercedes and at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco Thursday and Friday.

Dapper David Niven portrays the gentlemanly thief "Raffles" in a wholly credible manner making him a handsomely fascinating fellow, mannerly and adroit.

In addition to Niven and Miss De Havilland the cast includes Dudley Digges, Dame May Whitty, E. E. Clive and Margaret Seddon.

GEORGE RAFT STARS IN FILM

George Raft is co-starred with Joan Bennett in "House Across The Bay" scheduled Tuesday and Wednesday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.



Ginger Rogers and Joel McCrea co-starred in the dramatic screen version of the notable Broadway stage success "Primrose Path," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen and at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Friday and Saturday. Others in the cast include Marjorie Rambeau, Henry Travers, Miles Mander and John Carroll.

VALLEY SCREEN CALENDAR

CAPITOL THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Deanna Durbin and Kay Francis in "It's A Date" with Walter Pidgeon and Lewis Howard. Also latest issue of the "March of Time."

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Linda Darnell and John Payne in "Star Dust" with Charlotte Greenwood and Roland Young.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Madeleine Carroll and Brian Aherne in "My Son, My Son" with Louis Hayward and Laraine Day.

QUEEN THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY ONLY: Conrad Veidt and Valerie Hobson in the thrill-packed and timely drama "U-Boat 29."

MONDAY, TUESDAY: Eleanor Powell and Robert Young in "Honolulu" with George Burns and Gracie Allen.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Jane Withers and Joe Brown, Jr. in "High School." Filmed at Jefferson High School in San Antonio.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Russell Hayden and Jean Parker in Zane Grey's "Knights Of The Range" with Victor Joy.

RIVOLI THEATRE, SAN BENITO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Mickey Rooney and Charles Brancroft in "Young Tom Edison" with Fay Bainter, Virginia Weidler and Eugene Pallette.

TUESDAY ONLY: Priscilla Lane and Dennis Morgan in "Three Cheers For The Irish" with Alan Hale and Thomas Mitchell.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Linda Darnell and John Payne in "Star Dust" with Roland Young and Charlotte Greenwood.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Ginger Rogers and Joel McCrea in "Primrose Path" with Marjorie Rambeau, Miles Mander and Henry Travers.

ARCADIA THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Ginger Rogers and Joel McCrea in "Primrose Path" with Miles Mander, Marjorie Rambeau and Henry Travers.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Joan Bennett and George Raft in "The House Across The Bay" with Walter Pidgeon, Gladys George and Lloyd Nolan.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Walt Disney's feature-length Technicilor cartoon "Pinocchio."

RIALTO THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Boris Karloff and Jo Ann Sayers in "The Man With Nine Lives" with Roger Pryor.

MONDAY, TUESDAY: Jean Parker and James Dunn in "Son Of The Navy" with Martin Spellman, Charles King and Gene Morgan.

WEDNESDAY THURSDAY: Robert Montgomery and Edward Arnold in "The Earl of Chicago" with Reginald Owen.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Charles Starrett and Lorna Grey in "The Stranger From Texas" with the Sons of The Pioneers.

STRAND THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Tom Brown and Constance Moore in "Ma He's Making Eyes At Me" with Anne Nagel, Jerome Cowan and Marie Green and Her Merry Minstrels.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Tyrone Power and Linda Darnell in "Day-Time Wife" with Warren William and Binnie Barnes.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Bela Lugosi in "White Zombie."

SATURDAY ONLY: Adrianna Lamar and Ramon Pereda in "Mexico Lindo" (Spanish Dialogue).

STATE THEATRE, MERCEDES

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Mickey Rooney as "Young Tom Edison" with George Bancroft, Fay Bainter, Virginia Weidler and Eugene Pallette. Also latest March of Time.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: David Niven and Olivia De Havilland in "Raffles" with Dudley Digges and E. E. Clive.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Carole Lombard and Brian Aherne in A. J. Cronin's "Vigil In The Night" with Anne Shirley.

SATURDAY ONLY: Tex Fitter and his horse, White Flash, in "Rhythm Of The Rio Grande" with Susan Dale.

RITZ THEATRE, WESLACO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Errol Flynn and Miriam Hopkins in "Virginia City" with Randolph Scott, Humphrey Bogart, Alan Hale and "Big Boy" Williams.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Carole Lombard and Brian Aherne in A. J. Cronin's "Vigil In The Night" with Anne Shirley.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY: David Niven and Olivia De Havilland in "Raffles" with Dudley Digges and E. E. Clive.

SATURDAY ONLY: George O'Brien in "The Bullet Code" with Virginia Vale.

PALACE THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Linda Darnell and John Payne in "Star Dust" with Roland Young and Charlotte Greenwood.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Carole Lombard and Brian Aherne in A. J Cronin's "Vigil In The Night" with Anne Shirley. Also "Teddy, The Rough Rider" in color.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Mickey Rooney as "Young Tom Edison" with George Bancroft, Virginia Weidler, Fay Bainter and Eugene Pallette.

QUEEN THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Sidney Toler and Jean Rogers in "Charlie Chan In Panama" with Lionel Atwill, Mary Nash and Jack La Rue.

MONDAY, TUESDAY: Boris Karloff, Melvyn Douglas and Charles Laughton in "The Old Dark House" with Lillian Bond and Gloria Stuart.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Tom Brown and Peggy Moran in "Oh, Johnny, How You Can Love."

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Gene Autry in "In Old Santa Fe" and Ken Maynard.

Priscilla Lane Is Star Of Comedy Hit

A hilarious down to earth comedy-romance that is packed with entertainment "Three Cheers For The Irish" co-stars vivacious Priscilla Lane, Thomas Mitchell and Dennis Morgan and features Alan Hale, Virginia Grey, Henry Armetta, Irene Hervey and Frank Jenks at the head of a distinguished supporting cast.

"Three Cheers For The Irish" is scheduled for showing Tuesday Only at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito.

Roosevelt Shown As Famed 'Rough Rider'

Acclaimed the best short subject of all time "Teddy, The Rough Rider" brings the great American President's life to the screen as a public official from the time he was Police Commissioner of New York City until after he had served this nation twice as chief executive.

Filmed in technicolor this short-featurette is showing Tuesday and Wednesday at the Palace Theatre in McAllen as a special added attraction to the regular program.

'Vigil In Night' Penned By Cronin

Adapted from A. J. Cronin's compelling story of the seldom mentioned women in white "Vigil In The Night" comes to the screen with Carole Lombard, Brian Aherne and Anne Shirley in starring roles.

"Vigil In The Night" is booked for showing Tuesday and Wednesday at both the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and Palace Theatre in McAllen and at the State Theatre in Mercedes Thursday and Friday.

Mickey Rooney Plays Role Of 'Tom Edison'



Mickey Rooney and Virginia Weidler in "Young Tom Edison," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at both the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito and the State Theatre in Mercedes and at the Palace Theatre in McAllen, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Virginia Weidler In Co-Starring Role

The fact that Thomas Alva Edison, America's greatest inventor was Andy Hardy, Tom Sawyer and one or two of the Dead End Kids rolled into one is revealed by Mickey Rooney in his new starring picture "Young Tom Edison."

A dozen or more of Edison's outstanding boyhood pranks are perpetrated by Mickey Rooney. Each of them was achieved by Tom at one time or another in his youth, but for story purposes they have been concentrated into the span of his life with which the picture deals.

"Young Tom Edison," gives Mickey Rooney his first portrayal of a real life character, a role in which Rooney has an opportunity to prove that he is a genuine actor.

The picture also marks the second teaming of Mickey with Virginia Weidler, who scored as his nemesis in "Out West with the Hardys." She plays his sister in the present picture, a role which Hollywood believes will definitely make her a star. In the two other stellar roles of the picture, Fay Bainter plays Mrs. Edison and George Bancroft, Mr. Edison.

"Young Tom Edison," is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at both the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito and the State Theatre in Mercedes and at the Palace Theatre in McAllen, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.



Deanna Durbin in her latest starring picture "It's a Date," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsvile.

Popular Best Seller Is Hit Screen Drama

The faithful and superb adaptation of the best-selling novel "My Son, My Son" by Howard Spring co-stars lovely Madeleine Carroll, Brian Aherne and Louis Hayward in leading roles and features Laraine Day, Henry Hull, Josephine Hutchinson and Scotty Beckett.

"My Son, My Son," is scheduled for showing Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville.

POPULAR PAIR IN NEW FILM

'Primrose Path' Is Dramatic Hit

The dramatic talents of Ginger Rogers are offered refreshing activity, co-starred with Joel McCrea in "Primrose Path," adapted to the screen from the notable Broadway stage play of the same title.

Miss Rogers is cast as the ashamed daughter of a sordid family living "across the tracks." When she suddenly falls in love with a gay young man who operates a hamburger stand down near the fish canneries, she does not let him know anything about her kin. She deserts her home to marry the boy, and it is not until after their marriage that he learns of her unsavory background.

The inevitable separation, the return of the unhappy girl to her disgraceful family, the temptations which confront her when her mother dies and she is faced with becoming the breadwinner of the motley group, lead to the heart-searing climax of this down-to-earth drama.

Marjorie Rambeau, Henry Travers, Miles Mander, Queenie Vassar and Joan Carroll have important supporting roles in support of Miss Rogers and McCrea.

"Primrose Path," is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen and at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Friday and Saturday.

RIVOLI
SAN BENITO
SUNDAY-MONDAY
A DRAMA OF COURAGE! A STORY OF TRIUMPH!
The exciting boyhood of a great American . . with America's Favorite Star surpassing even his "Boys Town" triumph!
Mickey ROONEY AS Young TOM EDISON
with FAY BAINTER GEORGE BANCROFT VIRGINIA WEIDLER EUGENE PALLETTE
STARTS WEDNESDAY
LINDA DARNELL IN "STAR DUST"
WITH JOHN PAYNE MARJORIE RAMBEAU ROLAND YOUNG
STARTS FRIDAY
GINGER ROGERS IN "PRIMROSE PATH"
WITH JOEL McCREA

CAPITOL
BROWNSVILLE
SUNDAY-MONDAY
IT HAPPENED IN HAWAII! Deanna gets double heart trouble under the spell of a Hawaiian moon.
Deanna Durbin in "It's a Date"
with KAY FRANCIS WALTER PIDGEON
Lewis HOWARD · Eugene PALLETTE
Cecilia LOFTUS · Henry STEVENSON
HARRY OWENS and his Royal Hawaiians
LATEST: "MARCH OF TIME" "America's Youth—1940"
STARTS TUESDAY
LINDA DARNELL IN "STAR DUST"
WITH JOHN PAYNE ROLAND YOUNG MARJORIE RAMBEAU
STARTS THURSDAY
BRIAN AHERNE IN "MY SON, MY SON"
WITH MADELEINE CARROLL

PALACE
McALLEN
SUNDAY—MONDAY
THE SCREEN'S NEWEST STAR! In a story thrilling and real, that might well be a chapter out of her own meteroic rise to stardom!
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RITZ
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SUNDAY—MONDAY
ERROL FLYNN MIRIAM HOPKINS
1940's Greatest Screen Thrill!
Virginia City
RANDOLPH SCOTT · HUMPHREY BOGART
FRANK McHUGH · ALAN HALE · GUINN "Big Boy" WILLIAMS
Directed by MICHAEL CURTIZ · A WARNER BROS.-First Nat'l Picture

STATE
MERCEDES
SUNDAY—MONDAY
MICKEY ROONEY Young Tom Edison
with FAY BAINTER GEORGE BANCROFT
ALSO: "MARCH OF TIME" PRESENTS "AMERICA'S YOUTH 1940"

ARCADIA
HARLINGEN
SUNDAY-MONDAY
YOUR NEW SCREEN-TEAM IN THE ROLLICKING ROMANCE!
HER FIRST KISS opens a new world to this girl from the wrong side of town that she never dared dream could be hers!
Ginger ROGERS Joel McCREA
PRIMROSE PATH
With MARJORIE RAMBEAU
STARTS TUESDAY
GEORGE RAFT IN "House Across THE BAY"
WITH JOAN BENNETT
STARTS THURSDAY
WALT DISNEY'S "PINOCCHIO"
A FULL LENGTH CARTOON FEATURE IN TECHNICOLOR

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'BIRTHDAY BATTLE' RAGES IN NORWAY

New Valleywide Airline Scheduled To Carry Freight

IS FIRST IN AMERICA TO HAUL LOADS

Valley Is Chosen For 'Good Business'

(See Babson Column, Page 8)

DALLAS —(AP)— An air freight service to connect the Dallas-Fort Worth trade area with Brownsville, Harlingen and McAllen in the Rio Grande Valley was announced Saturday by Bob Trego, president of Texas Air Freights, Incorporated.

Trego said he expected to begin operations early in May.

First In America

"The new airline will establish main offices and operations base at Love Field and be the only scheduled, exclusive cargo service in the United States," Trego said. "A survey was made of the entire United States before this territory was selected as being the most promising for business."

Officials of the air line said this was the beginning of a new and important phase of air transportation, the carrying of freight by air plane. Checking and survey flights are being carried on now with test loads and route familiarization trips for the pilots.

Already Approved

Trego said his airline route had been approved by the Texas Railroad Commission and that the Civic Aeronautics Authority and the Texas Aviation Board had been notified of the plans, although the CAA has no jurisdiction over an intrastate route.

The company is a Texas corporation. The board of directors includes Trego, president; A. E. Trego, vice president; E. H. Pickering, vice president; V. R. Garrett, secretary-treasurer; Francis McDonald and James Gatewood.

J. E. Myers Injured At McAllen Corner

McALLEN—J. E. Myers, aged McAllen carpenter, was at City Hospital here late Saturday night with a broken right leg and other body bruises, result of being hit by an automobile as he crossed the street at 11th and Highway avenues Saturday about 10 p. m.

Patrolmen Earl Hersh and Richard Bales said Myers, about 70, was struck by a car driven by Kenneth Browning, Pharr. They said preliminary investigation indicated the accident was "unavoidable."

Frank S. Robertson Is Ill At Hospital

HARLINGEN—Frank Robertson, San Benito, manager of Cameron County Water Improvemnet District 2, was admitted to Valley Baptist Hospital Saturday midnight for treatment.

Attaches said a report would not be released until the hospital report had been completed. Robertson was understood to have seen his doctor Saturday, and decided to go to the hospital for treatment. He was released here several months ago after a serious kidney ailment had been remedied.

Lon Smith Quits

Rail Chief Won't Run Again

AUSTIN—(AP)—Lon A. Smith, 71, chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission and a member of that body longer than any other man except the late Allison Mayfield, announced Saturday that he would retire at the end of his current term January 1.


LON SMITH

The race for Smith's place on the important, three-man commission probably will draw more entrants than any other 1940 contest.

Smith's retirement means that the railroad commission, which supervises the state's vast oil production, may have entirely new personnel by 1941. Commissioner Jerry Sadler is running for governor and Commissioner Ernest O. Thompson has announced for congress from the Amarillo district. The commission selects its own chairman.

Smith has been ill for several weeks.

26 Killed In Wreck Of Crack New York Central; 100 Hurt

120 Lots Sold, New Homes Due

Harlingen Sell-Out Termed Unique

HARLINGEN—Auctioneers, real estate men and builders Saturday envisaged an unprecedented construction boom for this city as some 120 lots in Finwood Heights subdivision were sold at auction.

Realtors said "every single lot was sold, not a one was left." Seventeen applications for loans on new homes were made at the auction sale by persons anxious to build their own homes, the agents said.

Many Pay Cash

The lots averaged $125 to $150 each. It was estimated about 50 per cent of the buyers, many of whom paid cash, were potential home owners, the others builders and contractors expecting to build and sell.

Col. R. S. Parker, auctioneer, said the sell-out of lots could not have been accomplished in any other city in South Texas, and at no other time even in Harlingen.

He referred to the recent and current building boom in that sub-division which has seen dozens of new homes in recent months.

New Record Due

Builders and contractors estimated the potential boost to Harlingen building this year in the sale of the 120 lots to persons in Harlingen and various other sections of the Valley, would mean a larger construction total than in any previous year here.

WATER MEN FAVOR WEST

Re-Election Urged To Push New Bill

McALLEN—Seven irrigation districts of the Lower Rio Grande Valley were on record Saturday favoring the re-election of Congressman Milton H. West of Brownsville without opposition in order that he may spend his entire time on the proposal to construct a giant water storage and irrigation project for the Valley.

Study Resolutions

Directors of other water districts are studying the resolutions passed by the seven systems and are expected to indorse the proposal that no person in the fifteenth congressional announce against West.

The resolutions, all identical, recommends "to all loyal citizens of the Lower Rio Grande Valley that in view of the great importance of the nesessity of the passage of this bill, that no opposition to Congressman West's reelection be considered or assisted in any way, thereby enabling Congressman West to devote his entire time and efforts toward the securing of the necessary funds and completion of the storage reservoirs and diversion canals so necessary to the continued existence of the people of this section of Texas."

Districts which have already passed the resolutions are Hidalgo County Water Improvement District No. 6, Elsa; Hidalgo County Water Improvement District No. 2, San Juan; Cameron County Water Control and Improvement District No. 5, Brownsville; Hidalgo County Water Control and Improvement District No. 11, Mission; Hidalgo County Water Control and Improvement District No. 6, Mission; and Donna Irrigation District.

Bill Introduced

West introduced an amended bill in the house the past week, calling for an expenditure of $54,000,000 and limiting the number of acres which could be irrigated until a dam is constructed on the Rio Grande following negotiation of a treaty with Mexico.

Texas Soon To Pay Teacher Aid Checks

AUSTIN —(AP)— The legislative committee on state school aid said Saturday that final teachers' salary aid checks for the current school year probably would be ready for mailing next week.

The checks, totaling $1,962,659, represent a 100 per cent payment on aid claims approved by the committee, the first 100 per cent payment in history.

RESCUE WORK STILL RUSHED IN NEW YORK

Train Was Going Too Fast, Belief

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y.—(AP)—Rescue workers pried Saturday night into tons of twisted sleet-covered steel, once the New York Central's proud Lake Shore Limited, seeking possible additions to a known wreck toll of 26 persons.

Traveling 59 miles an hour, the New York-Chicago passenger train Friday night jumped the track at a 6-degree curve, the most abrupt on the system, and crashed with terrific force into a massive stone embankment.

Passengers Asleep

Three hundred passengers, most of whom were asleep in pullmans on the 16-car train, were hurled from their beds.

So badly mangled were the victims that only 18 had been identified, one tentatively, as dusk fell over this picturesque Mohawk Valley.

Approximately 100 other went to hospitals and physicians feared some of them may be added to the death roll.

Examination of wreckage still is incomplete, and Coroner Fred C. Sabin said he expected discovery of "three or more bodies."

Cause Unknown

F. E. Williamson, president of the New York Central, said it was "impossible" to learn the cause of the accident immediately, but the system's New York City office said the locomotive's speedometer showde it was roaring westward 14 miles an hour faster than the regulation 45 mile speed for operation around the curve.

The scene, at the foot of jutting hills; where the line has four parallel tracks, showed feet of some of the victims protruding from the wreckage. Everywhere lay the dead and injured.

Rescue work began in clear weather but drizzling rain and finally sleet provided an additional handicap.

It was the first passenger fatality on the New York Central system in 13 years. Last year, the system received the Harriman award for passenger safety.

Nazi Bombers Raid On England's Coast Tops Mine Laying

LONDON—(AP)—A prolonged and spectacular battle between British planes and shore batteries and German air raiders off the southeast British coast following the mining of two British merchantmen in that area Saturday night climaxed what Britons said were new Nazi aerial mine-laying operations in an effort to block off the flow of Allied troops to Norway.

Methodist Meeting Set For Wednesday

ATLANTIC CITY —(AP)— Representing the largest protestant church organization in the United States, the Methodist church will open Wednesday its first general conference since the uniting of its 7,856,000 members at Kansas City a year ago.

For three weeks, the 782 delegates from the United States, Europe, Asia, Africa and Latin America, representing 124 conferences, will legislate for the new denomination, review articles of doctrine, coordinate women's work and strengthen machinery for administration of a far-flung spiritual empire.

Transporting Stolen Goods Charged Pair

LAREDO—(AP)—Two men suspected of transporting stolen goods in interstate commerce, Harold Butler and Joseph P. Grimes, were held on $25,000 bonds Saturday after hearings on charges before U. S. Commissioner Frank Y. Hill.

The men were held for delivery to the Marshal of Iowa's northern district at Sioux City.

Six Persons Slain In Burma Rioting

RANGOON, Burma—(AP)—Six persons were stabbed to death and 20 injured Saturday in communal rioting on the eve of a Mohammedan feast-day. Troops and police restored order.

'Happy Birthday To You'

Hitler, 51, Gets Messages From Duce, Kings


IL DUCE


HITLER

BERLIN—(AP)—Benito Mussolini Saturday sent Adolf Hitler a birthday message expressing "definite confidence that the German people will victoriously stand the great test under which it has been placed."

Hitler replied with "hearty thanks" and an expression of "unshakeable belief" that the German and Italian people would win their "vital rights."

Hitler also got telegrams on his 51st birthday from King Christian of Denmark, whose country is under "protective" German occupation; King Leopold of the Belgians; Queen Wilhelmina of The Netherlands; King Carol of Rumania; Prince Paul ,the regent of Yugoslavia; King Vittorio Emanuele of Italy; Regent Nicholas Horthy of Hungary and Generalissimo Francisco Franco, chief of state of Spain.

The Last Roundup

Valley Census Men Enter Third Week, Hope To Round Up Stragglers In Area

HARLINGEN—The national census was well into its third week Saturday and most Valley towns were preparing to co-operate with enumerators in some way or another to round up the stragglers.

William C. Anderson, chairman of the chamber of commerce census committee, said that when enumerators have about finished their work that some action would be taken to check the city for those who might have been missed in Harlingen. There has been some discussion of a plan to employ several canvassers to go from house to house and inquire if the occupants have been counted. Names of those who have not been enumerated would be turned over to census takers.

Other Valley towns were reported considering several different methods of checking the count or stimulating people who have not been enumerated into reporting their names to some central place.

In Brownsville it was reported that coupons might be published in the papers so that persons who had not been enumerated might send their names and in McAllen the chamber of commerce was reported ready to make a game out of finding uncounted persons.

The city census was to have been completed theoretically on Tuesday but many enumerators had not made the rounds in their districts so that some communities became alarmed. They feared the count would be stopped on the dot but were assured by Francis W. Pulliam of Laredo, ditsrict supervisor, who came to the Valley this week that the work would continue until all were counted.

Intense rivalry between the cities added to the apprehension, each Valley community being anxious to make the best showing possible.

FUNDS DRIVE OPEN MONDAY

Community Fund To Hold Breakfast

HARLINGEN — Local business firms are sold on the idea of having only one campaign for funds instead of eight and there is expected to be a large group at the breakfast to be held at 7:30 a. m. Monday at the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel, according to J. J. Willingham and John Tucker, co-chairmen of the Harlingen Community Fund drive.

Willingham said that three teams of workers were sent out Friday to feel out the people in regard to continuance of the community fund idea and there was practically no sentiment for returning to the former basis where each organization

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FAKE JOBLESS GET WARNING

Illegal Collections To Be Stopped

BROWNSVILLE—"Beginning immediately we will file criminal charges against claimants who make false statements to secure unemployment compensation," Thurmond Krueger, TUCC supervising examiner, declared Saturday as he served notice of the tightened fraud provisions of the Texas Unemployment Compensation Act.

Mr. Krueger said that he had received the orders Saturday from Orville S. Carpenter, executive director of the Texas commission.

"We will file criminal charges against any individual guilty of misrepresentation or nondisclosure of any fact resulting in payment of jobless benefits when such benefits are not due him," the supervisor emphasized.

Executive Director Carpenter told Krueger that the Texas commission would be "unceasing" in its efforts to uncover cases of misrepresentation. He informed Krueger that no exceptions were to be made, and that charges were to be filed in every instance.

Notice will be given every unemployed individual claiming benefits of the provisions of the Texas act for filing of criminal charges in cases of misrepresentation, or nondisclosure, Krueger added.

Fergusons To Open Gubernatorial Race Campaign Saturday

AUSTIN —(AP)— Mrs. Miriam A. "Ma" Ferguson will open her campaign for governor at Waco next Saturday night, her husband, former Governor James E. Ferguson announced Saturday.

Ferguson said the rally would be on the courthouse lawn if the weather was fair and inside the courthouse if it rained. The talks will be broadcast over a statewide hookup.

OHIO VALLEY INUNDATED BY HEAVY FLOOD

Pittsburgh Hard Hit; Many Homeless

MARIETTA, O. —(AP)— Floods gripped the Ohio Valley from Pittsburgh to Cincinnati Saturday night and turned southern Ohio into a maze of lakes, isolating entire towns. Thousands were homeless.

Water rose menacingly around Pittsburgh's "Golden Triangle," downtown business area, poured past merchants' doors in Marietta, pioneer Ohio river city of 15,000, and climbed three-tenths of a foot an hour toward a tentative crest of 58 or 59 feet at Cincinnati. (Flood stage is 52 feet.)

Thousands Homeless

Thousands of residents in Ohio River Valley lowlands fled their homes or moved to second floors. Marietta merchants moved out stock. At Pomeroy, O., a general exodus began in expectation of five feet of water in the main street by morning.

Nearly a third of rural Ohio was inundated. The Hocking Valley experienced its worst flood since 1913. Among the towns completely isolated were Athens and Logan. Roads were closed at 83 places.

The Baltimore and Ohio railroad experienced track washouts in Ohio and West Virginia. A landslide covered Chesapeake and Ohio tracks at Orton, W. Va.

Tributaries Flooding

Streams feeding the Ohio river continued to rise in Ohio and western Pennsylvania, but began receding in West Virginia, Kentucky and Indiana. In southern Indiana, roads were impassable at 22 points.

Price Named Chief Of Young Democrats In Climax Session

BEAUMONT —(AP)— Price Daniel of Liberty was re-elected president of the Texas Young Democrats by acclamation early Saturday night in an anticlimatic final business session of the eighth annual convention here.

The convention was in near riot during early afternoon attempts to override recommendations of the credentials committee, but moved along schedule after the convention upheld the committee.

Roosevelt Endorses Children's Crusade

WASHINGTON —(AP)— President Roosevelt, endorsing the Children's Crusade for Children, said it should make American boys and girls understand and feel "the consequences of the breakdown of tolerance and fair play."

"We need in this country," he added, "a genuine concern for our freedoms which will parallel and transcend the fanaticism being aroused among young people in behalf of tyranny."

McDonald Opposes Mexican Oil Sale

AUSTIN —(AP)— W. H. McDonald, candidate for a place on the Texas Railroad Commission, Saturday urged the commission and the oil industry generally to oppose sale of Mexican produced oil in Texas.

BURNED TO DEATH

GEORGETOWN, Tex.—(AP)—Aston Parker, 29-year-old invalid, burned to death at his home Saturday when fire, apparently started by a wood heater, razed the residence.

British Transport Hit By Bomb; Allies Strike

Allies Think Norse Invasion Shows Nazis Supplies Running Out Already

STOCKHOLM (Sunday)—(AP)—British troops have penetrated to eastern Norway and are participating with the Norwegians in fighting the German invaders, the Norwegian army reported early today in a communique from "somewhere in Norway" covering Saturday's warfare. The communique said the British were in "Ostlandet," meaning the "eastern land," and added that two German tanks were destroyed in close fighting at Randsfjorden, on the railroad 30 miles north of German-held Oslo and only 30 miles from the Swedish border.

By The Associated Press

Germany flashed the challenge of her air might in birthday battle for Adolf Hitler Saturday night against the expanding Allied drive to establish an army in Norway.

Hardly had the British made their boast that an Allied fighting force had been transported 400 miles and landed in Norway without the loss of a single life, than Germany countered officially with an assertion of Saturday afternoon air successes against British landing forces and their transport and convoy.

Germany claimed her warplanes had sunk a British cruiser guarding landing operations, set fire a big transport disembarking troops and then had "effectively" bombed Allied troops already landed in Romsdals Fjord near Port Andalsnes, 125 miles southwest of German-held Trondheim.

Nazis Claim Victory

Just before that the official German news agency, DNB, declared that one British transport had been sunk and two other transports and a cruiser damaged somewhere off the Norwegian coast on Friday.

The Allies, however, reported they had established themselves already on Norwegian soil with at least two British divisions and one division of French troops.

Britain also said that her submarines torpedoed two transports in a German convoy. It was not announced whether the transports had sunk.

British communiques said also the Allied forces in Norway "occupied certain positions of vantage" on April 19, and operations there are "proceeding according to plan." Three German planes were reported shot down and others damaged in unsuccessful raids on British naval units and transports.

The British announced two Merchant casualties of their own on the seas, the cargo ships, Mersey and Hawnby going down after explosions on the southeast coast of Britain. Thirteen men were dead or missing.

The ships were the first lost in that coastal area this month. Some sources attributed the losses to new mines laid by German warplanes. Mysterious planes were off the southeast coast again Saturday night, for the second time this week, and heavy gunfire was heard offshore.

Germans Confident

Although it was conceded in Berlin that formidable British forces have been landed far to the north, in the Lofoten Island region opposite Narvik, and at points further south, German military leaders expressed confidence that German shock troops could prevent effective cooperation between British and Norwegian soldiers.

They added, with a great show of confidence, that Allied efforts on Norwegian soil were bound to be more or less ineffectual because of "the demonstrated vulnerability of

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War

AT A GLANCE

By The Associated Press

BERLIN — German declares air squadron attacked British landing operation in Norwegian fjord, sinking cruiser, wrecking big transport, "effectively" attacking landed troops; Reich heils Hitler on 51st birthday.

LONDON— Reporting successful operations on land and sea and in air, Britain declares huge Allied force sent to Norway without loss of single life, two merchant ships lost, two German transports torpedoed.

OSLO — German commander warns Norway of "dreadful" retribution if resistance to German occupation continues.

STOCKHOLM—German advance from Oslo reported halted at Elverum.

PARIS — Reynaud government seeks "Mediterranean entente" in appeasement move toward Italy; French troops reported operating in Norway; fierce air fights resumed on western front.

BUCHAREST — Rumania gets promise of German munitions and warplanes, gives Germany commercial concessions.

VALLEY FORTS IN MANEUVERS

600 Soldiers Leave For East Texas

BROWNSVILLE — Approximately 600 troops from Fort Brown at Brownsville and Fort Ringgold at Rio Grande City will take part in Ninth Corps and Third Army maneuvers in the Angeline-Sabine area of East Texas in May.

First of the troops to leave the two Valley posts wi. go Tuesday, by motor transport.

A unit from Fort Ringgold will come to Fort Brown Monday, and with the Brownsville post's unit of six officers and 139 enlisted men will leave at 1 p.m. Tuesday.

Two trains will move the remaining troops from Fort Brown who will participate in the "war" games in East Texas, leaving Brownsville Friday. Animals and equipment of the Fort Brown troops will go by one of the two trains.

From Fort Ringgold troops will go by train also; nearly 400 men stationed at Fort Brown and about 200 more from Fort Ringgold will go to Jasper in East Texas where they will pass over to control of the Ninth Corps for corps and Third Army maneuvers.

Troops participating in the maneuvers in East Texas, said to be the largest concentration of soldiers for training in the peacetime history of the army, will be relieved from duty about May 27, and will be back at their home stations around June 1.

Long Time New York Society Queen Dies

NEW YORK—(AP)—Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, widow of the grandson of the founder of the Vanderbilt dynasty and long a reigning queen in New York society, died late Saturday in a New York hospital.

She was noted especially for her philanthropies, particularly in behalf of war sufferers, and during the World War was one of the Red Cross' most active workers. For this contribution, she was made a Knight of the Legion of Honor by France in 1919 and received the rank of officer in the Legion 12 years later.

Big Check Is Lost By Education Board

DALLAS—(AP)—Search for a $111,000 check lost between Austin and Dallas was begun by the board of education Saturday after C. M. Moore, secretary, discovered that a remittance representing part of the state school apportionment had been sent but lost.

Japs Buy Oil

Mexico Signs Up For Big Contract

MEXICO CITY —(AP)— It was learned authoritatively Saturday that the Laguna Petroleum Company, a Japanese firm, has signed a $3,000,000 contract to purchase Mexican oil, gasoline and kerosene, an action which the Mexican government was awaiting before replying to a United States suggestion to arbitrate the petroleumn controversy.

It is understood the government would consider its economic position greatly strengthened by a signed and sealed contract with the Japanese and would make much of this point in replying to the suggestion of Secretary of State Cordell Hull for settlement of Mexico's seizure of the vast foreign-owned oil industry.

An official source said the reply likely would be a firm rejection of the arbitration proposal.

Alamo Victims' Survivors Get Aid

48 Dependents To Be Taken CareOf After Investigation Completed

McALLEN—Six weeks of patient investigation by an American Red Cross disaster case worker has paved the way for assistance to 48 dependents of victims and survivors of the Alamo truck-train crash on March 14. The crash which took a toll of 29 lives, was the worst in the history of Texas. A fund of $2,000 has been established for the rehabilitation work.

Mrs. Edith Hennessey, disaster case worker for the American Red Cross' regional bureau at St. Louis, completed four weeks of investigation and submitted her report to an advisory committee at a meeting in the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building here Friday night.

Mrs. Hennessey's report, accepted and approved after consideration by the committee, showed that of the total of 48 survivors or victims who were injured in the crash, 33 of them were less than 20 years of age and 28 of them ranged in age from two months to 15 years. In considering methods of assisting these unfortunate persons, the advisory committee and Mrs. Hennessey made arrangements, particularly in such cases where both father and mother were killed in the crash, leaving minor children, for a long-term assistance program. A maximum of one year was set for this assistance, however, with local Red Cross chapters to consider the cases when the initial assistance had been exhausted.

The Latin-American Protestant pastors' committee, which inaugurated the "Alamo Relief Fund" at memorial services for the victims a few days after the tragedy, reported it had raised approximately $700. The Rev. P. Lujan, pastor of the Pharr Latin-American Methodist Church, was chairman of the

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BATTLE RAGES OVER NORWAY ON BIRTHDAY

British, Norse Now Fight Together

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the British fleet to German air bombers."

In Berlin German war maps showed widening arcs of German occupation about Oslo, Bergen, Stavanger and even Arctic Narvik.

German military experts estimated that about 40 per cent of Norway's 3,000,000 people now are in regions occupied by German troops, an area placed at about 12,500 square miles.

Norwegian mobilization in the Oslo region has been disrupted, they contended, and the German march is going on northward of Kongsvinger, near the Swedish border.

British Lose Ships

In 11 days of sea action, which failed to dislodge the Germans from Narvik, the experts asserted, the British have lost four cruisers, 10 torpedo boats or destroyers and eight submarines, while six battleships or cruisers and one airplane carrier have been damaged seriously. This tabulation is unofficial.

Pointing to the availability of Norway as a base for air attack on England, one expert said:

"Norway is an unsinkable airplane carrier for us."

Stockholm advices had it that the German armed penetration north from Oslo was repulsed at Elverum, about 75 miles north of the German-occupied Norwegian capital. This contradicted previous Swedish reports that the Nazis had taken Elverum.

Reports of Allied troop landings sai dbetween 30,000 and 40,000 men came ashore at ....., Molde and Laerdal. These points could be bases for drives on German on concentrations at Bergen and Trondheim.

In Germany, where the press and the populace set up a chorus of "heils" to congratulate Adolf Hitler on his 51st birthday, there was irritation that Norway had dared to oppose Nazi "protection."

This was echoed in Oslo where the German commander-in-chief of the army of occupation put a "last" demand to the Norsemen to stop "this nonsensical resistance" on pain of feeling "dreadful" power of German arms.

Norwegians condemned to die under German interpretation of international law since the occupation were given a Hitler birthday present of their lives.

France Woos Italy

The French government held out an olive branch to Italy.

Speaking to the foreign affairs committee of the senate, Premier Paul Reynaud said France hoped for a "Mediterranean entente," in pursuit of which she had carried on a "friendly exchange of views" with both Italy and Spain since the outbreak of European war hostilities.

Rome was not particularly responsive to the idea. Her press, lately has been 100 per cent pro-German.

In authoritative Italian quarters it was said that Italy's chief complaint against the Allies is that they have her trade routes bound up by control of the Mediterranean.

Moreover, Saturday Benito Mussolini went out of his way to send a birthday message to Hitler expressing confidence the German people would successfully withstand their "great test."

Foremost development in the nervous Balkans was Rumania's new trade agreement with Germany which held an amendment containing a promise from Germany that she would send Rumania great quantities of munitions and fighting planes in exchange for minor commercial concessions.

For the first time since the main theatre of the war shifted to Scandinavia, there was furious air fighting on the western front. The Allies claimed upwards of a half dozen German planes were brought down. The Germans reported they had bagged four enemy planes in dogfights or by anti-aircraft artillery action.

In their aerial fighting along the western front both Allied and German planes flew repeatedly over the borders of The Netherlands and Belgium and one German bomber crashed at the tip of The Netherlands, victim of a Belgian patrol plane.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Mr. and Mrs. Jack Compton on the birth of a son weighing eight pounds at the L. and L. Clinic at 10 a.m. Saturday.

Modern oil refining methods have doubled the amount of gasoline recoverable from a barrel of crude oil, in effect doubling the size of Texas' vast petroleum reserves.

THE SUNDAY RADIO LOG

WLW (Cincinnati) MBS dial 1260 WOAI (San Antonio) NBC dial 1190
KRGV (Weslaco) NBC dial 1260 KWKH (Shreveport) CBS dial 1100
KPRC (Houston) NBC dial 920 KTSA (San Antonio) CBS dial 550

7:00 A. M.
KRGV—Peerless Trio
KWKH—Vaughan Quartet
WLW—Organ and Xylophone.
7:30 A. M.
KRGV—Tone Pictures
KPRC—Skyphol
WOAI—Gene and Glen
KWKH—O L Embrey—talk
WLW—Church Forum
Forest Lawn Memorial Park.
8:00 A. M.
KRGV—Valley Radio Chapel
KPRC—Bright and Early Choir
KTSA—Today in Europe
WOAI—Bright and Early Choir
KWKH—Today in Europe
WLW—Children's Hour
8:30 A. M.
KRGV—Dance Music
KPRC—Sunday Drivers
KTSA—Christian Science
WOAI—Sunday Drivers
KWKH—Wings Over Jordan
WLW—Children's Hour
9:00 A. M.
KRGV—Chuck Wagon Gang
KPRC—Pleasantdale Folks
KTSA—Chuck Wagon Gang
WOAI—Radio Pulpit
KWKH—Sunday Players
WLW—String Quartet
9:30 A. M.
KRGV—Real Estate Hour
KPRC—T. J. Bettes Co.
KTSA—March of Games
WOAI—Bill Johnson, baritone
KWKH—March of Games
WLW—Sunday News
10:00 A. M.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Press News
WOAI—News
KWKH—Press News
WLW—NBC Program
10:30 A. M.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Major Bowes Family
WOAI—Music, American Youth
KWKH—Mayor Bowes Family
WLW—Happy Jim Parsons
11:00 A. M.
KRGV—Radio City Music Hall
KTSA—Major Bowes Family
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—Morning Services
WLW—Cadle Tabernacle Choir
11:30 A. M.
KRGV—Radio City
KTSA—Travis Park Methodist Church
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—Morning Services
WLW—Radio City Music Hall
12:00 noon
KRGV—Pilgrimage of Poetry
KTSA—Church of the Air
WOAI—Music for Moderns
KWKH—Church of the Air
WLW—Music of Masters
12:30 P. M.
KRGV—Al and Lee Reiser orch
KPRC—Organ Reveries
KTSA—Democracy In Action
WOAI—Hollywood Today
KWKH—Democracy In Action
WLW—Hollywood Today
1:00 P. M.
KRGV—News, Weather
KPRC—Fogle-West Ensemble
KTSA—Salute to Americas
WOAI—Salute to Americas
WLW—Smoke Dreams
KWKH—Salute to Americas
1:30 P. M.
KRGV—Dance Music
KPRC—Houston Symphony Series
KTSA—Press News
WOAI—Univ. Chicago Round Table
KWKH—Louisiana State Normal
WLW—Church by the Side of the Road
2:00 P. M.
KRGV—Christian Science
KPRC—I Want A Divorce
KTSA—New York Philharmonic—Symphony
WOAI—Gonzalez Warm Springs Foundation
KWKH—New York Philharmonic—Symphony
WLW—Peters and Organ
2:30 P. M.
KRGC—Tapestry Musicale
KPRC—European News
KTSA—Philharmonic—Symphony
WOAI—European News
KWKH—Philharmonic—Symphony
WLW—News in Review
3:00 P. M.
KRGV—National Vespers
KPRC—Art For Your Sake
KTSA—Philharmonic—Symphony
WOAI—Old Fashion Revival
KWKH—Philharmonic—Symphony
WLW—Unsolved Mysteries
3:30 P. M.
KRGV—Chamber Music
KPRC—The World Is Yours
KTSA—Pursuit of Happiness
WOAI—Old Fashion Revival
KWKH—Pursuit of Happiness
WLW—Aldrich Family
4:00 P. M.
KRGV—Edward Davies
KPRC—Yvette
KTSA—Music for Fun
WOAI—Yvette—Songs
KWKH—Training Table
WLW—Musical Steelmakers
4:30 P. M.
KRGV—Lutheran Hour
KPRC—Sunday Players
KTSA—Rhythm
WOAI—Crossroads
KWKH—John Kirby orch
WLW—Cavalcade of America
5:00 P. M.
KRGV—Birthday Party
KPRC—Catholic Hour
KTSA—Silver Theatre
WOAI—Catholic Hour
KWKH—Uncle Natchel
WLW—Blue Barron
5:30 P. M.
KRGV—Cavalcade of Hits
KPRC—Melody Memory Moments
KTSA—Gene Autry's Melody Ranch
WOAI—South Texas High School Band
KWKH—Gene Autry
WLW—Ted Weems "Beat The Band"
6:00 P. M.
KRGV—Jack Benny
KPRC—Jack Benny
KTSA—The World This Week
WOAI—Jack Benny
KWKH—World This Week
WLW—Jack Benny
6:30 P. M.
KRGV—Baseball Scores Ty Cobb 6:45
KPRC—Bandwagon
KTSA—Screen Guild Theatre
WOAI—Bandwagon
KWKH—Screen Guild Theatre
WLW—Prof. Quiz
7:00 P. M.
KRGV—Musical Comedy Revue
KPRC—Charlie McCarthy
KTSA—Concert in Rhythm
WOAI—Charlie McCarthy and Company
KWKH—Concert in Rhythm
WLW—Charlie McCarthy and Company
7:30 P. M.
KRGV—Voice of Hawaii
KPRC—One Man's Family
KTSA—Do You Think You Know Music
WOAI—One Man's Family
KWKH—Do You Think You Know Music?
WLW—One Man's Family
8:00 P. M.
KRGV—Sunday Review
KPRC—Walter Winchell
KTSA—Sunda. Eve Hour
WOAI—Walter Winchell
KWKH—Sunday Eve Hour
WLW—Walter Winchell
8:30 P. M.
KRGV—Sunday Review
KPRC—Familiar Music Album
KTSA—Sunday Eve Hour
WOAI—Familiar Music Album
KWKH—Sunday Eve Hour
WLW—Irene Rich
9:00 P. M.
KRGV—Sunday Review
KPRC—Hour of Charm
KTSA—Ellery Queen
WOAI—Hour of Charm
KWKH—Take It or Leave It
WLW—Hour of Charm
9:30 P. M.
KRGV—NBC Program
KPRC—Home Town
KTSA—Columbia
WOAI—Home Town Unincorporated
KWKH—Richard Himber
WLW—This Land of Ours
10:00 P. M.
KRGV—News and Sports
KPRC—AP News
KTSA—News by Air
WOAI—News
KWKH—Mitchell Ayres orch
WLW—Peter Grant—News
10:30 P. M.
KRGV—Johnny Messner
KPRC—Francis Craig orch
KTSA—Lewis Armstrong
WOAI—Frances Craig orch
KWKH—Bob Crosby orch
WLW—Gardner Benedict orch
11:00 P. M.
KRGV—Sign Off
KPRC—Ben Pollock orch
KTSA—Dance Time
WOAI—Will Bradley orch
KWKH—Headline Review
WLW—Castle Farm orch
11:30 P. M.
KPRC—Skyline Radio Chapel
KTSA—Jan Garber orch
WOAI—Chas Spivak orch
KWKH—Orrin Tucker
WLW—Moon River

OBITUARY

MRS. LOUISA VOLLMER

SHARYLAND—Funeral services for Mrs. Louisa Vollmer, who died at her home on south Shary Boulevard Friday night, were held Saturday afternoon at the Kreidler Chapel in McAllen with Rev. Roe of the Mission Methodist Church officiating. The body was shipped to Dunlap, Iowa for interment.

Mrs. Vollmer, the widow of Charles Vollmer, would have been 70 on June 6. She was born in Wisconsin, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Noh. She had led an active life.

Survivors are six children, Mrs. Fred Schlensig of Sharyland, Richard Vollmer of Mission, Mrs. Lewis Hartwig of Dunlap, Iowa, Art Vollmert of Dunlap, Iowa, Mrs. Floyd Wall of El Reno, Okla., and Mrs. R. R. Mueller of San Antonio. Sixteen grandchildren and one great grandchild also survive.

FUNDS DRIVE OPEN MONDAY

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in the city conducted its own drives.

The community fund provides money for eight organizations including the Valley Baptist Hospital, Parent-Teacher Association, Girl Reserves, Salvation Army, Boy Scouts, Day Nursery, public library and direct relief.

Willingham said Saturday night that about 75 persons had promised to be at the breakfast and that all interested parties were invited. Plans for the campaign will be outlined fully at that time.

WORK ON BANK IS SCHEDULED

McAllen Institution To Be Enlarged

McALLEN — Interior remodeling of the City State Bank and Trust Company is scheduled to begin Monday, with employees preparing for a holiday in observance of San Jacinto Day.

The reconstruction of the interior will result in a 100 per cent increase over the present size of the main floor. Tellers cages now along the north wall of the bank will be removed and customers' tables added. There will be no furnishings of any kind in the center of the lobby.

Two additional tellers cages will be added along the south wall while the office of S. L. Miller, president, will be moved from its present site in the front of the building to a position in the rear.

Miller said the remodeling should be completed within 30 days. During the time the work is in progress business will continue as usual, he said.

SURVIVORS TO GET RELIEF

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committee, and Brad Smith, McAllen newspaperman, was treasurer. The largest contribution to this fund, a check for $450, came from the Grand Prize Brewery in Houston. The money was made available when the grand champion steer of the Houston Fat Stock Show was purchased by V. H. Shepherd, brewery president, then re-sold and the proceeds donated to three South Texas charities.

Starr County Red Cross chapter, headed by Bascom Spillar, Rio Grande City banker, as chairman, raised approximately $300, and the American Red Cross provided the additional $1,000 to round out the fund of $2,000. The fund will be administered by Spillar and W. C. Jones, Jr., chairman of the Hidalgo County Red Cross chapter, in conjunction with the special advisory committee established to survey the needs and carry out the relief program. Food, clothing and shelter for a period of a year will be provided for the six families who suffered the greatest losses and in which most of the minor children, were affected.

The American Red Cross sent Mrs. Hennessey to the Valley at the request of the Starr County chapter, she asserted, and she took over the five weeks' task of investigating circumstances facing each of the 17 families affected by the tragedy and the needs of the 48 dependent survivors or recovered victims. Three victims are still receiving treatment in McAllen Municipal Hospital for severe injuries sustained in the crash, but all are believed recovering.

Missouri Pacific Railroad, whose morning passenger train was in collision with a truck driven by Jose Ramon of Garceno and Donna at the Tower Road crossing at the east city limits of Alamo, has assumed all ambulance, hospital, surgeons' and nurses' bills of the injured, it was asserted.

The Red Cross advisory committee which will oversee administration of the fund includes Spillar, Fred Guerra, Mrs. Solis and Pedro Diaz, all of Rio Grande City and representing the Starr County Red Cross; Jones and Dick Harris, McAllen, of the Hidalgo County Red Cross; the Rev. Lujan, the Rev. L. Vidaurri of Weslaco and Smith, representing the Latin-American Protestant pastors' committee; and the Rev. Father

George Laliberte, assistant pastor of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, McAllen.

Politics In Lull; Storm Brewing?

By BILL BREWSTER

BROWNSVILLE — Two-year-old children are asking their mothers, "Mama, what's a politician?"

And the lads that have seen a couple or more political years are scratching their own heads. The lull along Cameron county's political fronts has them worried.

District candidates must file by June 3. County and precinct candidates have until June 15. With the last deadline some less than two months off, there's hardly a ripple on the lake.

Means Paying Cold Cash

Nobody expects candidates to step up and file officially, until the last few days, because that means paying cold cash across the counter.

But announcements can be expected any time, and they've been few and far between.

The sheriff's office has been considered Cameron county's fertile field for a heated political flurry. So far that particular political pot has little more than simmered.

Incumbent Sheriff J. A. Goolsby is asking for a fourth term. Bill Cabler, who was Sheriff Goolsby's chief deputy for nearly five years, has announced for the job, along with Tom Morrison of Combes.

Others Hinting

At least one or possibly two others are hinting at last-minute blitzkriegs, but whatever announcing theyv'e done so far has been in the way of feeling out the situation among their friends.

The district attorney's race has drawn out three candidates so far, while one or two other prospects have announced they do not choose. Incumbent Joe P. Hatchitt of Corpus Christi, is going to ask for a third term at the post, with Ray A. Scott and W. B. Weaver, Corpus Christi lads also, making their bids.

From there down, Cameron county appears quiet—except for a county commission post and about one justice of the peace job.

Weikel Opposed

Commissioner Grover J. Weikel has drawn a couple of opponents so far in Precinct One, the Port Isabel precinct—C. A. Stanford of Los Fresnos and Tom J. Hunt of Port Isabel.

Commissioner Weikel, incidentally, has disclaimed any intention of a try for the county judge's post, saying he just wants another term as commissioner.

County Judge Oscar C. Dancy seems unopposed all around, although plenty of rumors have named aspirants to that job.

Ward Just Smiles

James D. Ward of San Benito, one who's been hinted to oppose Judge Dancy, just smiles and points out he's working for the federal government and there's a thing called the Hatch Bill. He certainly won't be a candidate until he drops his agricultural work for the government, Mr. Ward says.

Ralph T. Agar is another who's been suggested as timber to oppose the county judge, but he says definitely he'll be up for another term as county tax assessor-collector.

Down toward the bottom of the prospective ballot, about the only opposition that has crystallized is in Brownsville, the race for justice of the peace, Precinct Two, place two.

Two Against Krausse

Judge Henry J. Krausse will be back asking another term, with Fred Kowalski and Raul Dominguez, both of whom have served previous hitches as J.P.'s out for his post.

Constable Walter Keller at Brownsville, has heard rumors there will be opposition for his job, but only rumors. And that's about the way most of the incumbents stand.

Mostly it seems to be the spectators who are worried. They can't understand why there's no more fire. "It'll all be over pretty soon," is the general wail.

Two Schools

Spectators are of two schools: Both believe the incumbents will do little talking until there is opposition; one side figures the new candidates should come out early and give the voters lots of time to think about them; the other school feels the new candidates are waiting until the last so the opposition won't have so long to talk about them.

And each school thinks maybe the other school has the right slant on the situation.

Meadows Loses

Ruling Favors Bank In Damages Suit

HARLINGEN — In the $10,000 damage suit brought by D. B. Meadows, Harlingen, against the First National Bank at Harlingen several weeks ago, Judge James Graham Saturday afternoon ruled complaint was not entitled to damages and assessed court costs against him.

Attorneys for Meadows said the case would be appealed at the Fourth Court of Civil Appeals, San Antonio.

Meadows charged malicious prosecution of civil claims against the bank, in connection with two notes held by the bank against property near Harlingen. Suit on the notes was dismissed by the bank, but Meadows claimed the bank had no right to sue for collection of the notes and did so maliciously. Meadows' funds at the bank were impounded for several days, before the original trial was dismissed.

WOMAN MUST HANG

LAKE CHARLES, La.—(AP)—Mrs. Annie Beatrice Henry, 24, convicted of the rice field killing of Joseph Calloway, Houston, Tex., salesman, was denied a new trial Friday and will be sentenced Wednesday to hang.

REALTORS TO STATE PARLEY

Valley Delegation To Be Large

HARLINGEN—Valley directors of the Texas Real Estate Association Saturday announced plans for a drive to secure the largest Valley delegation present at the state convention to be held at Galveston May 16 to 18.

Larry Powers, Sid Berly and Elmer Johnson, the Valley's three directors on the state board, urged affiliated members of the Valley board to make arrangements in advance for attendance at the convention, with a view to having the largest representation at Galveston. A trophy is awarded by the association for the association with the greatest attendance.

The week of May 13 to 19 has been proclaimed by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel as "Real Estate Week in Texas," and Galveston has made elaborate plans to welcome the largest convention in history.

Powers pointed out that not only are real estate men invited to the convention, but also all licensed dealers, mortgage bankers, title men, contractors, local men, building supply dealers and architects

Houston Residents Visit In Harlingen

HARLINGEN—Mrs. E. J. Fisher, Houston, formerly of Harlingen, and her son, Allen Chaffin, also former Harlingen resident, arrived here Saturday night for the San Jacinto holiday.

Accompanying them were A. M. Fossler, and Kermit Lewis, both of the Federal Land Bank at Houston. Chaffin is employed as a secretary at the land bank. Mrs. Fisher recently moved to Houston from Gladewater.

The Weather

THE VALLEY: Partly cloudy to cloudy Sunday; Monday cloudy, thundershowers and cooler. Moderate southerly winds increasing Monday.

EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy to cloudy Sunday; Monday cloudy, thundershowers and cooler. Moderate southerly winds on the coast increasing Monday.

OKLAHOMA: Increasing cloudiness, warmer Sunday except Panhandle; Monday generally fair west, cloudy east, showers extreme east portion, cooler.

ARIZONA: High cloudiness Sunday with scattered local showers, with cloudiness decreasing Monday. Slightly cooler Monday.

NEW MEXICO: Fair with high cloudiness and scattered local showers Sunday. Monday fair with decreasing high cloudiness. Slightly cooler Monday.

WEST TEXAS: Continued high cloudiness with showers southeast portion late Sunday or early Monday. Slightly cooler north portion Monday night.

Oil Agents Return From Sales Parley

HARLINGEN—Six Valley agents for Sinclair products returned to this section Saturday from a San Marcos sales conference, and a barbecue at Alice Friday.

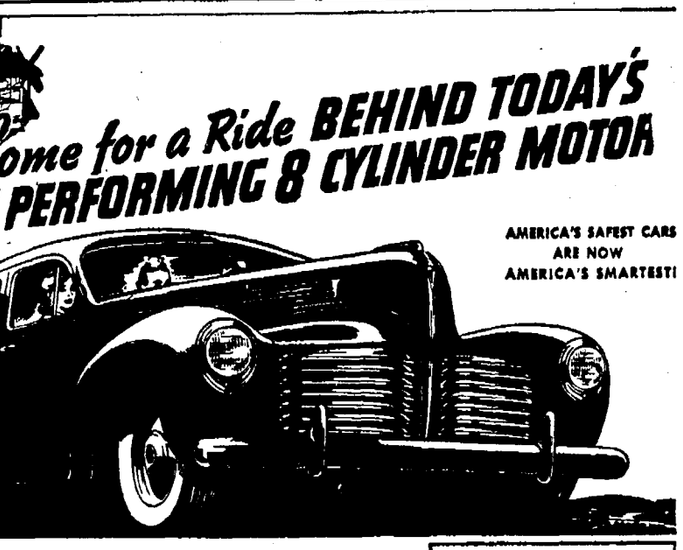
Agents are J. B. Hicks, Harlingen; E. C. Reasonover, Mercedes; C. R. Fitzpatrick, Edinburg; Ted Lemberg, McAllen; J. O. Cunningham, Brownsville, and Olen Rome, Mission.

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Reds Threaten Alaska With Air Base

ARMY PLANS TO BUILD UP U. S. DEFENSE

Russ Navy, Air Bases On Aleutians

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Reports that Russia has established naval and air bases near the Aleutian Islands, congressional sources said Saturday, are behind intensified army efforts to strengthen defenses in Alaska.

Informed legislators said they understood that the army definitely had confirmed that Russia has constructed bases on the Siberian coast less than 100 miles from American-owned islands in the Aleutian chain which extends southwestward from Alaska.

Are For Defense

The army's high command was said to take the attitude that the bases were designed primarily for defense against possible attack by Japan or Siberia, but to feel that the United States could not afford to assume that such establishments would never be used against it.

It was indicated that Generarl George C. Marshall, chief of staff, would be questioned on this point when he testifies before a Senate committee, probably next week, on the army's request for $12,734,000 for construction of a strategic air base at Anchorage, Alaska.

The House turned down the request. War department officials have made known, however, that they will ask the Senate to restore at least $6,000,000 of the sum to the department supply bill.

New Cruisers Due

Also bearing on national defense was a disclosure by Chairman Vinson (D-Ga) of the House naval committee that the navy contemplates building 20,000-ton cruisers—twice the size of its present "treaty type"—as soon as the pending $655,000,000 fleet expansion bill becomes law and funds are available.

The larger ships, it was explained, would have greatly increased cruising range which would make them more useful for missions in the far Pacific or the south Atlantic. They also would be better suited for duty with the projected 45,000-ton battleships.

SASSCER BACK FROM MEXICO

Plant Quarantine Chief Returns

BROWNSVILLE—E. R. Sasscer, Washington, chief of the U. S. Department of Agriculture's division of foreign plant quarantine, was in Brownsville this week, returning from a two-week trip into Mexico with O. D. Deputy, agriculture department official here.

Mrs. Sasscer and Mrs. Deputy accompanied them on the trip into the southern republic.

The group left Brownsville March 30, and returned here Tuesday night. They visited towns in the vicinity of Mexico City, making their headquarters for the trip there.

While in Mexico they witnessed recent demonstrations, staged throughout Mexico on one day, protesting the United States' request for arbitration of the oil expropriation controversy.

The group's stay in Mexico was purely a pleasure trip, Mr. Deputy said. They made courtesy calls on members of Mexico's agriculture department, but conducted no official business, he said.

New Charro Films In Color Offered In Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE—Colored motion pictures of Charro Days, pictures never shown here before, will be flashed on the screen Monday at 7 p. m. at the Hotel El Jardin here.

The pictures will be shown by M. D. L. Van Over, executive director of Woburn Industries, Harrison, N. J., who is here in connection with development of the castor industry.

The pictures, advertising the Valley, were shown recnetly before ley, were shown recently before D. C., of the Agricultural Chemical Association.

The public is invited. There is no charge.

Surplus Cotton Use Studied At Meeting

SAN BENITO—Meeting to discuss the use of surplus cotton in the construction of mattresses for distribution among low income families in Cameron county will be held at the city hall here Tuesday at 9 a. m., County Farm Agent Frank C. Brunnemann said Saturday.

Brunnemann said county and city officials, cooperating agencies and land use planning committeemen are to be present to give suggestions in making a plan for conducting this work.

Woman To Contest High Court Order

EDINBURG — Lillie M. Johnstone of Val Verde will file a motion for a re-hearing of her application for a writ of error to the Eastland court of civil appeals in her contest against Hidalgo County officials, who seek to open a road through the front yard of her home, Sid L. Hardin, Edinburg attorney, declared Saturday.

A motion for a writ of error was denied by the state supreme court last week.

Apartment House Being Torn Down



The Bollack apartments, one of the Valley's oldest apartment buildings, is shown above being razed by Langford's Midget Mill for salvage. The building is located at Levee and First street, South East.

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BROWNSVILLE — Making way for tomorrow, one of the Valley's oldest apartment buildings is being torn down for salvage by L. Langford at First and Levee streets, SE, here.

The three-story, six-family building, known as Bollack Apartments, was constructed in 1913 by C. W. Winstedt, who had just completed the Merchants National Bank Building here.

A. Wayne Wood, Brownsville, and Dr. Gilberto Cicero, Matamoros, acquired the building during its construction, and Mr. Wood established his residence there for some time. The Joe Bollack family also lived there.

Mr. Wood later sold his interests in the property to Doctor Cicero.

Not being able to compete with modern apartments, the building had only a few tenants in recent years. It finally passed into the hands of the state banking commissioner from whom Mr. Langford purchased it for salvage.

Mr. Langford estimated there are about 100,000 bricks, two carloads of lumber, or about 25,000 feet of lumber in the old building.

Ministers Stumped When Census Men Ask 'Industry' They Are In; Even The Pastors Can Not Classify Their Work

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RAYMONDVILLE — A Willacy census enumerator says clarsifying the minister gives him more misery than making inquiries into any other profession.

Writing the answers is easy enough until he asks: "Are you engaged in public or private industry?" and then comes the question: "In just what industry does the minister engage?"

If according to classification "Public Industry" pertains to the government and includes schools, city, county, state and federal departments; and "Private Industry" pertains to privately owned businesses, individual business and professions, just where does the minister come in?

Well, the minister isn't a salaried man in public work—meaning government; yet he works for the public; and he isn't in private industry for he works for a public institution. On top of this he is a professional man in an individual business and most definitely working with the individual.

Which leaves us just where we came in.

Aldrich To Return Monday From Trip

EDINBURG — Hidalgo County Judge Oliver C. Aldrich is expected to return Monday from an upstate trip on which he is seeking additional sections of flood control rights-of-way in the county.

He left Thursday to visit Houston and San Antonio property owners whose holdings in the county are affected by the International Boundary Commission's construction project. Until the rights-of-way are acquired by the county and turned over to the IBC, flood control construction can not get under way.

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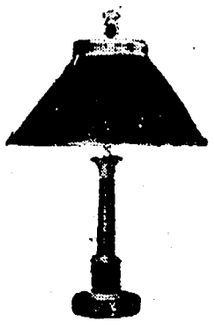
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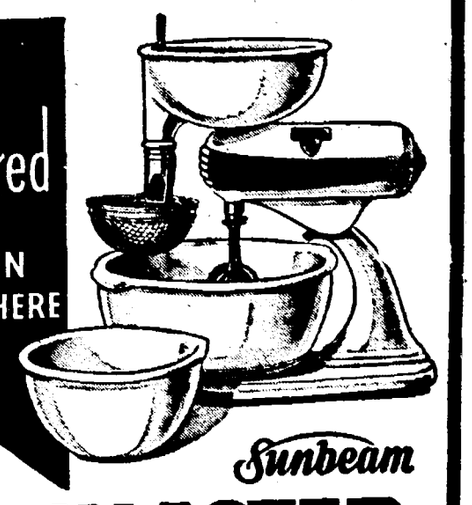
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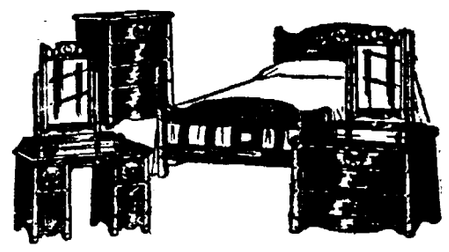
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Green Attacks Isms In Address

DALLAS—(AP)—President William Green, the voice of five million members of the American Federation of Labor, Saturday night said the A. F. of L. "is unalterably opposed to any move which might involve the United States in the European war."

Green, speaking on a nation-wide radio broadcast (MBS) in an address before the Southwest Labor Conference, condemned "the hateful teachings and practices of Communism and Nazism," and added the "A. F. of L. takes pride in the fact that we are hated by the enemies of our country."

"Unity Is Imperative"

"National unity is imperatively necessary today not only for the advancement of our material welfare but for the preservation of our American ideals," Green said. "This is the hour of crisis for democracy in the world.

"The dictators of Europe, moving swiftly with brutal aggression, have seized the territory of free and peaceful nations and trampled the rights of their citizens. The twin totalitarian philosophies of Communism and Nazism have just added Finland, Denmark and Norway to their list of victims.

"The end is not yet in sight. Other countries, such as Sweden, Holland and Belgium are living under constant threat of invasion. . . ."

The labor leader, president of the AFL since the death in 1924 of Samuel Gompers, cited "Authentic reports from Europe that overnight Nazi invasion and capture of Norway's key cities was accomplished only with the aid of Norwegian traitors."

Any Traitors?

"That should be a significant object lesson to us. Are there any traitors in this country? What do the American people think of those who praise the policy of Stalin as a 'peace policy' and attack the policy of the United States as imperialistic? . . . "

M'ALLEN HIGH HONOR PUPILS

Marjorie Hamner To Be Valedictorian

McALLEN — Marjorie Hamner led all honor students of the McAllen High School senior class to become valedictorian of the 1940 graduating class, Gladys Linnard was second for the salutatorian honor, while Bill Nolen led the boys in scholastic standings.

Miss Hamner had an average of 96.77 points for two years, Miss Linnard had 95.93 and Nolen 92.62, Principal A. M. Weir announced Saturday.

The girls outclassed the boys for the five top honors. Third high was Mary Frances Lundy with 95.85 points, Alv Lockhart fourth with 94.71, and Alicia Garcia fifth with 94.10.

Gordon Griffin was the second high boy and seventh honor student with 92.42. Ricardo Fuentes was next with 87.05.

The commencement will be held May 21 at the school athletic field, Principal A. M. WWeir announced Saturday.

In order to be eligible the graduating honor roll, students must have been enrilled at the senior high school for two successive years, Weir said.

The two girls with the highest averages will be eligible for scholarships to state colleges. Scholarship forms will be awarded the night of graduation, Weir said. As is customary the high boy will be eligible for a scholarship to some military school in the state.

Principal Weir gave the students their grades for the past two years Friday afternoon. Each student averaged his marks on the blackboard to decide in what position he would be placed on the graduating honor roll. Final approval of the averages was made by Principal Weir.

Richardson Declines College Presidency

ABILENE—(AP)—Dr. Rupert N. Richardson Saturday night declined the presidency of Hardin-Simmons University, oldest co-educational, church related college in West Texas.

The institution's executive vice president was chosen unanimously last Wednesday to succeed the late Dr. J. D. Sandefer. Officers of the board of trustees Saturday had no announcement as to when it would consider appointment of another.

U. S. Settles Suits In Typewriter Case

NEW YORK—(AP)—Assistant U. S. Attorney General Berkeley Henderson Saturday announced the settlement of the government's anti-trust suit against six of the nation's biggest manufacturers of typewriters.

Defendants were the Underwood Elliott Fisher Company, of Delaware and New Jersey; the Royal Typewriter of New York, Remington Rand, Inc., of Delaware; L. C. Smith and Corona Typewriters, Inc., of Syracuse, N. Y., and New Jersey and some officers of the firms.

War Shows No Need For Ships' Changes

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—Europe's war has shown that surface ships must be given additional protection against bombs but has not shown any need for radical changes in naval tactics or construction, says Charles A. Edison, secretary of the navy.

NYA Teaches 35 Girls How To Become Efficient Maids



Maria Natividad Espinosa, Virginia Garcia and Maria Artemia Galvan, left to right above, are shown cooking and baking at the NYA maid service school in Brownsville. The cupcakes (coming out of the oven) tested o. k.

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BROWNSVILLE — With an eye to "streamlining" Brownsville's maid service, the NYA center here is offering girls a practical course in household training that ranges from marketing to the care of c ildren.

The objective is to provide better servants here, Mrs. Juanita Curtis, Mercedes, Valley NYA supervisor, declared Saturday.

Prior to the establishing of the NYA school in Brownsville, local girls had no way of gaining household training except by experience.

35 Attend School

There are about 35 girls attending the school, and besides being given the opportunity of vocational training, they are taught to be independent and self-supporting.

The school is unique because it is the only Latin American institution of its type in the United States, and the only purely servant school south of San Antonio.

Phases of homemaking emphasized are: house cleaning, laundering, preparing meals, dish washing, serving meals, marketing, care of children and other home duties.

Paid While Learning

Girls between 18 and 25 years of age are enrolled. They are paid $14.40 a month during the eight-month course of about 60 hours a month. They pay for their own bus fare and lunch.

They are not permitted to quit a regular job to attend the school. There have been instances where girls have quit, and the NYA has refused to accept them.

"Local women need not be worried that the NYA will take any of their servants from them," officials said.

During the course of study, the girls witness an average of three demonstrations by outsiders a week. For example, a soap company representative recently attended in connection with a laundry lesson. This was followed by a trip to a local laundry, and a series of talks and demonstrations on cleaning.

Get Nursing Course

Upon completion of the course, the girls will be given an opportunity to do household work for a week under strict supervision. They will be placed on the approved list of trained domestic servants after this apprenticeship.

Each is required to take a practical course in home nursing and hygiene. None of the girls enrolled will be recommended for employment until after July 1.

Various types of food preparation, formal and informal, for parties, varied social affairs and general meals are being taught. The girls prepare and serve their own noonday meals. English is required to be spoken at the school. White uniforms are worn.

Sponsoring the school are Brownsville club women and civic organizations with each paying a portion of maintenance.

As the girls go to school about only one-third of the time during the month, they are permitted to hold jobs, but are not permitted to quit a regular job to attend.

The girls are required to take the Wasserman, tubercular and other tests, and health and sanitation is stressed throughout the course.

Merchants have been cooperating in loaning modern utilities to help the students gain experience, and have also made cash donations.

There is to be no wage scale set-up upon their graduation. In other words, the girl is to get "what she can make," officials said.

Wins Award

Galveston Engineers Safe Drivers

BROWNSVILLE—The U. S. Engineering Department's Galveston district has won the Gulf of Mexico division's annual safe driving award, it was announced Saturday.

The district's automobiles traveled 1,149,082 miles this past year, and had a safety record of .35.

Wayne Murphy, head of the Brownsville field, office of the USED, was sent four plaques to be placed on USED cars here in recognition.

The Brownsville field office has had a perfect record for more than three years.

ANOTHER CRASH

CAMPBELLSBURG, Ky. —(AP)— Twenty-five passengers on a southbound Louisville and Nashville railroad train were shaken up Saturday when the train struck a landslide in a cut near here.

STAMBAUGH TO HEAD SCHOOL

Pharr Superintendent Is Re-Elected

SAN JUAN—J. Lee Stambaugh was re-elected superintendent of the Pharr, San Juan-Alamo schools at the trustees meeting this past week. D. U. Buckner was also elected high school principal.

Others named to the faculty are principals of the grammar schools—Edna Carnahan, Mrs. Mae Tomkins, Ruth Johnson, Mrs. W. A. Napper, Miss Vida Clover and Mrs. Pearl Cramer; teachers, Mrs. Charles Decker, Mrs. M. E. Burkhart, Mrs. Frank Haughton, Mrs. M. D. Price, Dorothy Faye Rusk, Mrs. Bernice Reynolds, Myrna Faris, Mrs. Florence Ellis, Charles Decker, A. Sorensen, Martha McCurdy, Gloria Izaguirre, A. O. Lively, A. V. Peterson, George Leach, Edwin La Grange, Martha Griffith, Ethel Carman, M. R. Smith, Mrs. H. A. Cox, Mrs. Guy Ritchey, Mrs. Ray Brooks, Ruth Griffin, Mrs. O. C. Emery, Margarita Wendel, Christine Crawford, Geraldine Palmer, Lucille Copeland, Ruth Greenfield, Emily Broughton.

Mrs. Ruth Bolling, Daisy Ellen Polk, Louise Ellis, Linden Anderson, Hazel Freking, Mrs. Vida Fields, Doris Ewing, Mrs. Franca Cilley, Frances Rosser, Mrs. L. D. Matthews, Nellie Batchelder, Rosalie Russel, Mrs. W. W. White, Lois Wilson, Mrs. Mildred Sapp, Mrs. M. R. Smith, Mrs. Ruby Myers, Mrs. Frances Forvilley, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Ruth Brandenburg, Mrs. Baxter Webb, Mrs. Mary Young, Mrs. Mabel George, Mrs. Gladys Nelson, Edith Carman, Mrs. Rob Everhard, Mrs. Anna V. Adams, Mrs. Bernice Adkins, Mrs. Stella Livingston, Mrs. Lora Geeslin, Mrs. Chris Arnold and Miss Ethel Carman.

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MATTRESSES FOR FARMERS

Plans Will Be Laid At San Benito

SAN BENITO—Representatives of county and city governments, chambers of commerce and farm organizations will meet in San Benito's city hall at 9 a. m. Tuesday to discuss a prospective "free mattress" program for low-income farmers in Cameron county.

Miss Bennie Campbell, College Station, district home demonstration agent for the A. and M. college, will be at the meeting to explain the Federal Surplus Commodity Corporation plan to make cotton and ticking available without charge for qualified farmers.

Carryover Cotton Used

Under the plan, the federal agency intends to turn over a quantity of its carryover cotton to farmers of "low-income" groups, for manufacture into mattresses. The farmers themselves will provide labor, and needles and thread, but the cotton and ticking will be given free by the government.

A "low-income" farmer, under the plan, is defined as one whose total income is less than $400 annually, and of which more than half is derived directly from his farm.

The mattresses would be made by "crews" of five women and three men, under supervision of a county director.

Tried In Zavala

Tried as an experiment in Zavala county three weeks ago, the plan met with such enthusiastic response that demands for similar programs have been spreading like wildfire over the state.

The cotton is made available in allotments of 12 bales at a time, but there is no limit to the total amount that any county may receive. Approximately 50 pounds of cotton are used for each mattress.

Frank C. Brunneman, county agent, and Lu Elsie Nagel, county home demonstration agent, called the Cameron county meeting.

LEAVES GERMANY

NAKSOV, Denmark —(AP)— Arne Scheel, Norwegian minister to Germany, en route home with members of his staff after closing the legation in Berlin on German orders, left Saturday for Copenhagen.

Gainesville Circus Crowd Is Gathering

GAINESVILLE—(AP)—The circus is coming to town—for its eleventh season.

Flags and pennants decorated the streets Saturday as Gainesville planned to welcome thousands of visitors Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, April 24, 25 and 26, for the second annual community circus roundup and homecoming.

DONNA NAMES 1940 FACULTY

All Teachers Are Re-Elected

DONNA — The board of directors of the Donna Independent School District met on Wednesday night, April 17, to elect teachers to positions in Donna schools for the school year of 1940-1941. Every teacher in the entire school system was reelected to his or her position.

Those re-elected in the Elementary school were Gwendolyn Anderson, Sally Weaver, Mrs. B. S. Roberts, Mrs. Mary Turner, Lavetta Huggins, Bernice Cook, Calla Stainke, Nell Moye, Winnie Harris, Stella Flannery, Mrs. Lucille Burch, Buck Henson, Martha Vernon Robinson, Alvin Tracy, and N. R. Jackson, principal.

In the high school and junior high school grades, they were reelected as follows: Mrs. R. C. Alcorn, Lamar Roquemore, W. O. Christiansen, Esther Combs, N. G. Patrick, Vera Kirkpatrick, Jessie Mercer, Lucille Penn, Laura Snyder; Ora Mills, Harmon Porter, Elmer Rollins, Mae Wood, Ivo Schoppe, W. C. Todd and Forrest E. Groves as principal.

In the East Donna schools they were reelected as follows: Lorraine Allen, Mrs. Edith Davison, Martha Evans, B. G. Guzman, Mary Iwai, Mrs. Harvey Klemann, Mrs. Florence Norwood, Melba Phelps, Louvernia Spencer, Mrs. Mary Belle Will, Doris Williams, Winnie Woodrum, Mrs. Jewell Wright, Marie Wahlers, and H. N. Browning, principal.

John Jay, first Chief Justice of the United States, served six years.

OFFICIAL MURDERED

ALEXANDRIA, La.—(AP)—Deputy Sheriff E. C. Brister, about 60, of Alexandria, was shot and killed here Saturday. He was reported attempting to arrest two men.

Texas oilmen last year discovered two-and one-fourth times as much oil as they produced.

Texas FFA Groups At Annual Session

COLLEGE STATION —(AP)— Approximately 3,000 Future Farmers of America gathered at Texas A. and M. College over the weekend for the twenty-third annual Smith-Hughes Day, which will be held at the college Monday.

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	6.50x16	16.95	12.71	11.87	11.02	23.72

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BABY CHICKS ISSUED FOR VALLEY SHOW

McAllen To Sponsor Poultry Congress

McALLEN—Harry Hill, manager of the Valley Poultry Congress and the McAllen Chamber of Commerce have distributed 5,000 baby chicks to 4-H Club boys, Boy Scouts, Future Farmers of America and others. The show will be held here in October.

Funds for distributing 4,000 blooded baby chicks were furnished by the chamber and Hill is furnishing the other 1,000 from his own flock of pedigreed fowls. Hill said he had requests for a total of 6,200 chicks, but had no funds for the additional 1,200.

The show manager is inviting vocational agricultural teachers, 4-H Club members and Boy Scouts who did not get the free chicks to go ahead and exhibit their own pens at the poultry show. He said they could compete for prizes the same as the registered recipients of the 5,000 chicks, provided they kept accurate records, particularly on feed costs.

Hill said reports on the chicks put out three weeks ago were highly satisfactory. He predicted the poultry show this year will be much larger than that held last year under his management and the sponsorship of the McAllen chamber and hatcheries in McAllen and Edinburg.

McAllen C. C. Will Study Building Plan

McALLEN—V. E. Cook, president of the McAllen Chamber of Commerce Saturday called a meeting of the board of directors for Tuesday at 8 p.m. instead of Thursday to discuss proposals for enlarging the chamber building.

Cook said the meeting was set up in order that plans for the expansion might be expected.

Baptists Meet

Valley Has Donna Parley Friday

DONNA—The active workers of the Lower Rio Grande Valley Baptist Association gathered at the First Baptist Church of Donna at 10 a. m. on Friday, April 19. Rev. N. L. Range of the First Baptist church of Donna made the speech of welcome to the audience of approximately 100 persons.

Following the welcome address, came a song and devotional by Nolan Beaird, followed by a very interesting talk by J. W. Mason on "The Place of Evangelism In the Christian's Program." Rev. E. V. May then spoke on "New Testament Baptism:" announcements were made, and an offering was taken. At 11:15 Miss Betty Anderson, a local high school girl, sang a vocal solo, followed by the sermon by Rev. H. B. Ramsey. After closing prayers and fellowship worship, the women of the Baptist church of Donna served a delicious luncheon in the church annex. After an hour of eating and chatting Rev. Raymond Bailey opened the afternoon session with a song and devotional.

Before the adjurnment C. S. McKinney, chairman of the board, presided over an important business meeting.

Five Handed Fines In Justice Courts

EDINBURG—Five persons were fined in various justice courts of the county the past week in which Assistant District Attorney Hollis Rankin prosecuted for the state, he announced Saturday.

A. A. Frase of Donna was fined $25 and costs, a total of $34, by Justice of the Peace H. L. O'Neil of Donna for violating the state farm auto license statute. O. H. Heflin was fined $25 and costs, a total of $42, in the same court on a peace disturbance charge, and $10 and costs, a total of $21, for being drunk.

Dewitt Jones of Edinburg was fined $1 and costs, a total of $23, for peace disturbance, in a jury trial before Justice J. Loy Ramsour of Edinburg. Before Judge T. Holl Spilman at Mission, A. Pena was fined $1 and costs for being drunk At Mercedes, Justice of the Peace T. J. Fikes, Sr., fined Arturo Rodriguez $5 and costs for being drunk.

Need Of Band Is Stressed At Donna

DONNA—Emphasizing the value of a large band in the cultivation of community musical taste, Leon Graham, local school principal, was speaker here Thursday night at a banquet for the Redskin Band, given by the Lions and Rotary cluubs of Donna.

Program for the band dinner, where Superinttndent of Schools A. B. Sanders presided, included Harry Schreiber, stunt shooting; Virginia Ann Henry, talk on marionettes; accordion selections by Miss Shirley Goldberg, Mercedes, with Miss Ruth Anderson at the piano.

Program committee include Harry Schreiber, Orval Stites, Cedric Wood and George Wheelock. The dinner was served by members of the Band Mothers Club. The 21 members of the band were introduced by Nelson Patrick, director. The band won 21 first places in the recent state meet.

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"Whit" Whitley (above) is director and black face end man for the Harlingen Volunteer Fire Department Minstrel Show to be staged at the Harlingen Municipal Auditorium May 7. Whitley will be joined by such local comedians as Joe Junkin, W. C. Black, Fred Newland, Chic Horton, Happy Henderson, and Harry Cook of Raymondville.

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FIREMEN PUSH MINSTREL HERE

Rehearsals Held For May 7 Show

HARLINGEN — Director B. D. Whitley said Saturday that rehearsals for the minstel show to be staged at the municipal auditorium here by the volunteer fire department May 7 indicated "fine progress," and announced the show had secured Harry Cook of Raymondville, for his celebrated black face monologue, "The Gentleman From Georgia."

Whitley said "The Gentleman From Georgia," which has been presented on several occasions over the Valley, "is a scream." Other black face comedians include Whitley, Joe Junkin, W. C. Black, Fred Newland, C. E. Henderson and Chic Horton.

Part of the entertainment will be the Harlingen Harmony Trio, composed of Misses Ivey Boone, Dorothy Godfrey and Nora Jordan; a sextet of girls from the Harlingen high school under direction of Mrs. Elizabeth Medley, Mr. and Mrs. Simpson of San Benito, and others.

Boys Injured

Car, Bicycle Crash Held Accidental

McALLEN — Eight-year-old Jack Clemons and three-year-old Bobby Bishop, were reported improving at City Hospital Saturday where they were confined Friday night suffering with injuries they received when unavoidably struck by an automobile driven by Sam Bizzell.

City police officers who investigated the accident occurring on North Nineteenth street at Fir avenue, said it was impossible for Bazzell to avoid hitting the children, who were riding a bicycle pulling a trailer.

Investigating officers said Bazzell had turned his car to avoid striking another youth when the Clemons' lad drove almost in front of the car. Bazzell took both children to City Hospital.

A. J. McColl, who suffered severe throat gashes and a fractured hip and leg in an automobile accident Thursday night, was reported to be in serious condition at City Hospital Saturday.

Harlingen Courts Active Saturday

HARLINGEN—Four fines, two of them for traffic violations, were assessed in Harlingen courts Saturday. In precinct court, Judge Menton Murray fined Ben Drews $1. and costs on spetding charge filed by State Highway Patrolman R. L. Wood.

In corporation court, Judge Murray fined Jesus Villarreal $3 on charge of failing to yield the right-of-way, filed by State Highway Patrolman W. M. Miller. Gregorio Renteria was fined $1 on charge of peddling without a health certificate, and Antone Pabliska was fined $15 on vagrancy charge, both charges being filed by City Officer Harold Crossett.

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DR. C. M. CASH GIVEN HONORS

Plaque For Service Is Given Doctor

SAN BENITO — Dr. C. M. Cash, pioneer San Benito physician, was presented with a plaque by local Rotarians, Lions and Kiwanians at a joint meeting Friday at the Stonewall Jackson Hotel in recognition of his many years of public service.

The occasion was Dr. Cash's birthday. The bronze plaque was inscribed with a message of appreciation from the people of San Benito.

George A. Toolan gave a toast to Dr. Cash and Jesse A. Welch, Jr., one of the hundreds of children delivered here by the veteran physician, also gave a toast.

A double quartet of men's voices directed by Mrs. James D. Ward sang "Home on the Range" and "Swing Low Sweet Chariot," dedicated to Dr. Cash.

Louis S. Witte, new mayor of San Benito, poke briefly.

Members of the city commission and both the old and new board of directors of the chamber of commerce were introduced.

SPEAKER NAMED

WACO—(AP)—President Pat M. Neff of Baylor University announced Saturday that Hubert M. Harrison, Baylor graduate of 1909 and now vice president and general manager of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, will be the institution's commencement speaker June 3.

'What A Life' Promises Night Full Of Laughter

Valley Little Theatre To Stage Comedy At Edinburg Monday Night

McALLEN — An assortment of mirth provoking teachers, students and parents promise an evening full of laughter for those who attend the Little Theatre play, "What a Life," Monday night at the Edinburg Junior College auditorium.

The youngsters in the play prove that love's young dream can be a lot of fun to everyone but the victims and jerk on memory's strings to remind a lot of people about their high school days.

The story of "What a Life" centers around adolescents but it is not for youngsters, alone, to enjoy as its long run on Broadway recently testified. Last season the play was the "great white way's" smash hit and the New York critics were unanimous in their praise of the comedy.

"The play became available to amateurs only about two weeks ago, "Director Paul Moore said, the Valley Little Theatre group will be among the first, if not the first, amateur group in the U. S. to stage this play."

Members of the cast are Drew Reid Handley, Chesna Dillinger, Howard Tewell, Mrs. Ruth Owings, E. P. Lillard, Dr. and Mrs. Elliott, Francis Wood, Marvin Downs, Fred Pierce, Gwendolyn Crawford, Henry Barton, L. Atwood, Ruth Griffin, and Louise Forrest.

E. P. Lillard as Professor Bradley is "side-splitting," according to Director Moore's description of the play. Chesna Dillinger, he said, is a stage find who can go from tragedy to comedy in a split second.

McAllen Man Hurt In Auto Accident

PHARR — Gilbert Hartman, 44, McAllen, sustained bruises in a three-way auto accident between Pharr and San Juan at 4 p.m. Saturday.

Hartman's car, going west, was in collision with a truck driven by John Rutosky, 46, San Juan, then hit a parked car owned by F. V. Seuage, who lives north of Alamo. The mishap occurred in front of the Haggard auction shed.

Those involved in the collision are to appear in Justice of the Peace R .L. Savage's court at San Juan Monday morning. Investigating officers were State Patrolmen Ed Heare and Clint Mussey.

GOOLSBY VISITS

HARLINGEN—Sheriff Art Goolsby was a caller in Harlingen Saturday afternoon.

MODEL PLANE GROUP FORMS

Harlingen Meet Is Set For April 28

HARLINGEN — Boys and young men interested in gas model airplanes will meet at the city hall here Sunday, April 28, at 2 p. m to discuss organization of a Rio Grande Valley Gas Model Association, according to an announcement Saturday.

An officer from Randolph Field, San Antonio, will be principal speaker, according to the information. The association is sought to bring together the various model plane clubs over the Valley, to stage exhibitions and meets at regular intervals, and allied aims.

Local model builders said 75 men and boys would be present, but that as many as possible were desired at the meeting to start the move off with Valley-wide representation. Officers will be elected for the association.

Donna Lions Induct

DONNA—A. B. Sanders, retiring president, Orval Stites, the new president, of the local club, Cedric Wood, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Washburn, returned on Wednesday from San Antonio where they went to attend the district convention of Rotary.

VISIT IN ALAMO

ALAMO—Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Newman of Houston are spending the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Drennan.

Pan American Man Writes Story On Area In Magazine

BROWNSVILLE—The importance of Brownsville as an international aerial gateway is emphasized in the April issue of "The Express Messenger" published in New York.

The article was written by Ted C. Pelikan of Pan American Airways traffic department.

Vast trans-shipments of air express here between the Americas, ranging from orchids and the latest in clothes to "perishable" newsreels, were described.

Accompanying the article is a photograph of Henry Barreda, Railway Express driver of Brownsville, and Edward Hudak, PAA expressman, standing beside one of the huge shipmnets.

Physicians' Society Convenes In McAllen

McALLEN—Members of the Hidalgo and Starr Counties Medical Association met for dinner Thursday night at the Casa de Palmas Hotel, Dr. U. S. Marshall of Weslaco, assistant secretary, said Saturday.

Plans for definite medical aid to eradicate infant diarrhea, so prevalent in the Valley, were made, he said.

LUBBOCK WINS MEET

SAN ANGELO — (AP) — Lubbock was chosen as the site for their 1941 meeting by Texas Academy of Science members who concluded a two-day regional convention here Saturday. Ailene will be host to the 1942 meet.

CANTU SEEKS COURT ORDER

Washington Bench Is Asked For Writ

EDINBURG — A petition for a writ of certiorari to seek the release of Guadalupe Cantu, McAllen grocer serving a 25-year penitentiary term for the slaying of his wife, Narcisa, is being filed with the supreme court of the United States, Sid Hardin, Edinburg attorney, announced Saturday.

Hardin said an early decision is expected because Cantu has begun serving his sentence.

The appeal is based upon allegations that Cantu is being deprived of his liberty without due process of law in violation of the 14th amendment to the federal constitution. In support of the appeal, the testimony of Joe Capa, assistant district attorney, is being relied upon, Hardin said. Capa testified during the trial to a "long and gruelling examination of Cantu in Mercedes the day of his arrest," the attorney said.

Hospital Reports Death Of Trio

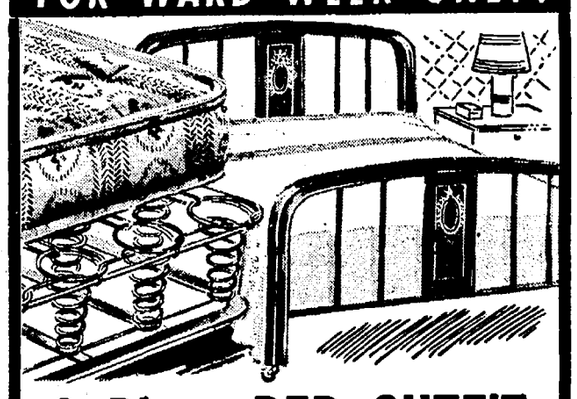
EDINBURG—The deaths of Jose Gonzalez of Alamo, Marcelino Rivera of Edinburg, and infant Anastacio Leyra of Donna were announced Saturday at County-City hospital here. They had been admitted as medical patients during the past week.

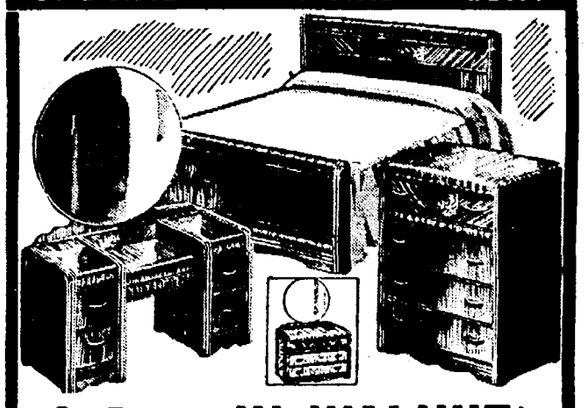
Also admitted at the hospital was Mrs. Bill Robinson of Edinburg.

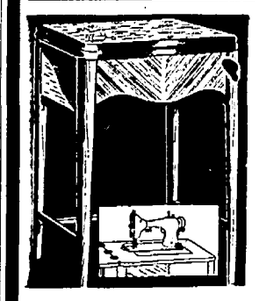
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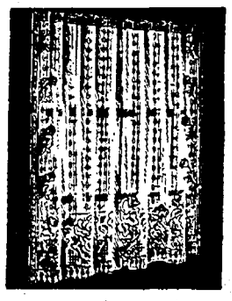
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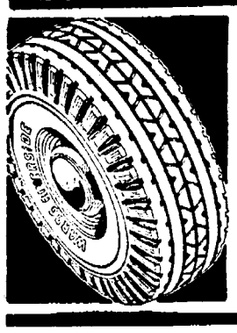
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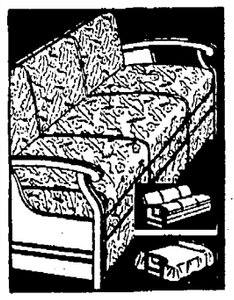
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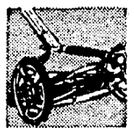
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Forty-Two Valley Scout Patrols Win Highest Honors At 1940 Camporee At McAllen



View of Boy Scouts wielding hatchets at the string-burning contest, one of many at the Saturday Camporee at McAllen. Two dozen boys raced against time to cut wood, build fires, and burn in two strings attached to the posts seen here.



Arnold Dreyer, Jr., right above, was chief errand boy for the Saturday Scout Camporee at McAllen. Here he takes a message from George Linn, Scoutmaster Troop 75, McAllen, while Cecil Robinson, McAllen, center, a Camporee official, looks on.



The boy with the bandage is John Evraets, Troop 45, Edinburg, one of the Camporee's first casualties, who hurt his nose when he fell against a scaling wall brace. Checking over him is R. J. Bud Bohner, Scoutmaster for Troop 26, San Benito, camp doctor.

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McALLEN — Forty-two patrols from troops in nine Rio Grande Valley cities won rating as "standard" — the highest available — when awards were announced here late Saturday to bring to a close the 1940 camporee of Valley Boy Scouts. A total of 56 patrols with 420 members registered for the event.

Brownsville led the list of standard patrols with nine. Mission ranked second with seven, McAllen was third with six and Sharyland, Edinburg, Weslaco and Harlingen figured in a four-way tie for fourth honors. San Benito was fifth with three and Mercedes sixth with one.

In addition to the standard patrols, seven were winners of star patrol ratings, four won triangle patrol honors and two were listed as participating patrols.

John Boeye of McAllen, general director of the camporee, was told by scout leaders that the McAllen encampment, which opened Friday night and came to a close before dusk Saturday, was one of the smoothest-working and most successful ever held in the Valley. Registrations above the 400 mark are considered above average in the Valley.

Patrols which won standard ratings are as follows:

McAllen, Tiger and Beaver patrols of Troop 63. Lion patrol of Troop 75, Wolf, Flying Eagle and Beaver patrols of Troop 75, and Bob White patrol of Troop 12; Sharyland, Black Cat, Blazing Arrow, Flying Eagle and Covered Wagon patrols of Troop 55; San Benito, Eagle, Black 13, and Bull patrols of Troop 26; Edinburg, Lion patrol of Troop 45, and Flying Eagle, Panther and Lion patrols of Troop 7; Mission, Bobcat, Lone Star, Longhorn patrols of Troop 22, Beaver patrol of Troop 18, and Bob White, Eagle and Wolf patrols of Troop 20; Weslaco, Panther and Lion patrols of Troop 34, Bear patrol of Troop 41, and Bear patrol of Troop 35; Mercedes, Bear patrol of Troop 17; Harlingen, Panther, Explorer, Cobra and Wolf patrols of Troop 9; Brownsville, Flying Eagle, Rattlesnake, Bob White and Brown Bear patrols of Troop 29, Tiger patrol of Troop 37, and Wild Boar, Cobra, Fox and Black Eagle patrols of Troop 3.

Star rank went to: Indian patrol, Troop 13, McAllen; Indian patrol, Troop 18, Mission; Flaming Arrow patrol, Troop 17, Mercedes; Wolf patrol, Troop 1, Edinburg; Beaver patrol, Troop 9, Harlingen; Wolf patrol, Troop 24, Pharr; and Patrol Two, Troop 69, San Benito.

Triangle patrols were as follows: Lion patrol, Troop 66, McAllen; Dan Beard patrol, Troop 24, Pharr; Patrol Three, Troop 4, Donna; and Patrol One, Troop 69, San Benito.

Participating patrols were Blazing Arrow, Troop 13, McAllen; and Flying Eagle, Troop 1, Edinburg.

Few injuries marked the camporee, in spite of the variety of contests that were staged throughout the day Saturday. Among the casualties were John Everats, Troop 45, Edinburg, cut between the eyes when he fell on the scaling board; Bobby Davis Stovall, Harlingen, left arm strained; Joe Matey, Troop 4, Donna, nail in foot; and Jimmy Larson, Troop 75, McAllen, cut on finger.

Valley scout council executives who attended the camporee included Arnold Dreyer, Mercedes, Valley scout executive; Ralph Reagor, Mercedes, assistant; Bob Moody, Jr., McAllen, assistant; and E. I. Vredenburgh, New York City, assistant national director of health and safety for the Boy Scouts of America.

Assisting Boeye as general director were about two score members of the McAllen Kiwanis club, which officially sponsored the camporee. On the staff were Joe Thomas, check-in chairman; Joe LeBow, campfire director; George Linn, campcraft director; Warren Davis, contest director; George Chapapas, campmaster; Paul Hallock, grounds chairman and contest judge; and a number of others.



View of the general assembly Saturday afternoon at the Boy Scout Camp at McAllen. Looking from the control tower, the picture shows some of the pitched tents in the background.



Above is Jimmy Suttle, Troop 75, McAllen, official bugler for the Boy Scout Camp at McAllen.



View of some of the Scouts of the Boy Scout Camporee held Saturday at McAllen, as they waited in "bull pens" for instructions concerning coming contests, ranging from knot-tying to wall scaling.



Eight leaders who aided in direction of the Camporee at McAllen Saturday are shown here. Front row, left to right, they are George Linn, John Boeye and Warren Davis; rear row, Joe Thomas, Joe LeBow, Paul Hallock, George Chapapas and James Westbrook.

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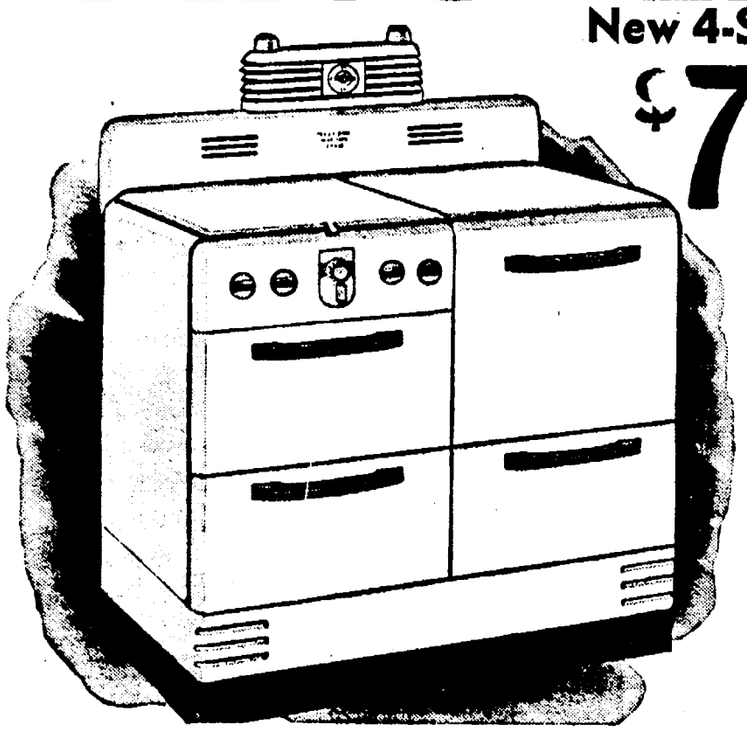
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JULY FOURTH FUNDS DRIVE DUE MONDAY

McAllen Legion Men Seek $2,500

McALLEN—The annual Fourth of July fund-raising campaign is scheduled to start in McAllen Monday with almost 100 businessmen already pledged to pay the same amount this year as they did last.

General Chairman George Chapapas completed arrangements Saturday for the campaign which is expected to raise a total of $2,500 in advance subscriptions to insure the celebration measuring up to the standard set in McAllen during past years.

The American Legion post annually stages the celebration and provides the man power as well as contributing to the financial drive.

Chapapas asked his fellow citizens not to "put off" the solicitors but to be ready to give their checks when the collectors visit them Tuesday or Wednesday.

It was pointed out that nobody likes to collect money and that the men doing the collecting are as busy as other McAllen citizens and are sacrificing their time to collect the funds as well as pay their share.

BAIL DENIED 2 IN SLAYING

Pair Bound Over In Brown's Death

BROWNSVILLE — Emeterio Chasco Corona and Isador Cruz were bound over to federal grand jury action, without bail, in connection with the slaying the first of this month of U. S. Customs Patrol Inspector Joseph T. Brown, U. S. Commissioner Carlos G. Watson said at Brownsville Saturday.

Final hearing before the federal commissioner was held Friday.

Chasco Corona was represented by R. B. Rentfro, Jr., and O. B. Garcia, Brownsville attorneys appointed by the court. As Cruz is a Mexican citizen, his case has been referred to the Mexican consul, consul, Commissioner Watson said, and Reynaldo Garza, counsel for the Mexican consulate here, probably will represent him.

Cruz was placed in Cameron county jail. Chasco Corona was returned to Mercy Hospital where he has been for some time as a result of wounds received during the gun battle in which the customs patrolman was fatally wounded.

In addition to the murder charges, each of the two men has been charged with assault in connection with the wounding of U. S. Customs Patrol Inspector C. B. Sills, and charges also with receiving and concealing smuggled merchandise. Bond of $2,500 was set in the assault charge and $1,000 in the smuggling charge.

Maximiliano Garcia, charged with Chasco Corona and Cruz in connection with the smuggling case, also is in Cameron county jail.

Aviation Topic

Open Forum Slated In Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE — "Aviation Today," will be the topic Monday at 8 p.m. of the Brownsville Open Forum in Room 224 of the Junior college here.

Principal speaker will be Guy Bevil of Pan American Airways traffic department, who was one of the officials last year at PAA's San Francisco Golden Gate Exposition.

Needs of the Brownsville airport to keep pace with the air transport industry will also be discussed at the session.

Presiding will be Fred J. Khouri of the Brownsville Junior college-high school faculty.

Sailing Contest Scheduled Sunday

PORT ISABEL — Spring is here, and if you don't believe it just ask the Valley's yachtsmen.

A Valley-wide meeting of the Laguna Sailing Club is to be held at the Moonlight pavilion here Sunday at 1 p.m., R. W. Pitts, Brownsville, skipper, announced Saturday.

First meeting of the season, the Laguna yachtsmen are to make plans for the summer, discuss trophy races, cruises, boat handicaps and a permanent club mooring basin.

Danes Claim Ships Have Free Sailing

NEW YORK—(AP)—Denmark doggedly maintained Saturday that its 700-ship merchant fleet is entitled to sail the seas unmolested by the Allies, and cited international law to back its stand.

The Danish shipping committee, which has studied the problem since Germany's invasion of the little Scandinavian county on April 9, declared it could not recognize the validity, "under international law," of the British contention that Danish vessels are prizes of war and subject to seizure.

Corpus Water Bond Decision Reversed

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The federal appellate court Saturday reversed judgment of $58,155 interest awarded by a Texas court to holders of almost $2,000,000 worth of water system revenue bonds issued by the city of Corpus Christi and ordered the suit dismissed.

O'Daniel Is Invited To July Fourth Fete

McALLEN — Governor W. Lee O'Daniel has been invited by the McAllen Fourth of July Celebration committee to be the principal speaker at the patriotic observance this year, George Chapapas, general chairman, announced Saturday.

The letter sent to the governor follows:

"McAllen Civic Enterprises Incorporated, the McAllen post of the American Legion and this community in general would like for you to be the main speaker at the Fourth of July celebration to be held in McAllen.

"This Celebration has become traditional and attracts an unusually large attendance from throughout the Valley and South Texas. It is estimated that there should be 50,000 people here this year. Due to the proximity to Mexico and the friendly relationship which exists with the Mexican officials, this occasion has assumed a somewhat international aspect, and again this year Mexican state and federal officials will participate here.

"It is appreciated that you are an extremely busy man but it is hoped that you will find it possible to be in McAllen as guest of honor for the celebration on July 4. It is understood, and in fact would be insisted upon, that you shall not be allowed to stand any expense in going or coming or while you are here, but that you are to be entirely the guest of the celebration."

SCHOOL PLANS MAY DAY FETE

Travis Students To Present Pageant

By TOM W. STARKEY

HARLINGEN—The annual May Day exercises presented by the Travis school student body will be held on the campus May 1 beginning at 5:45 p.m., according to announcement by W. C. Black, principal and director.

The 1940 May Day theme will center on the legends connected with the more than 300 wild flowers of Texas. Many of the state's flowers will be represented by colorful costumes, and the drama of spring's coming, and the awakening of the flowers will be portrayed by some 300 pupils of the school.

Elected queen and king of the May Fete in recent student balloting were Norma Clark and Billy Jack McKeand.

Many To Participate

Augmenting and preceding the spring flower legends on the program will be music by the band and the glee club of 85 voices. Black said 75 per cent of the student body will take part in the elaborate show.

Princesses elected by the pupils are Mardelle Anglin, Betty Lou Bupp, Delores Dureson, Olga Garcia, Billy Marie Means, Dorothy Jean Torbett, Gloria Gene Wood. Princes are Jimmy Burkhalter, Bus Pat Hough, Billy Mitcham, Jerry Osborne, Arnulfo Suarez, Merle Weaver and Bob Wood.

Characters Are Named

Among the leading characters who have been picked, Black said, D. M. Denton, Jr., would act as Texas; Barbara Macy as Spring; Marion Greenwood as Blue Bonnet Herald. Herald, chancellor and announcers are yet to be chosen.

The May Day coronation and pageant is the culmination of the school year's extra-curricular work at Travis school, Black said, and named it tops on the list of social events there. Grandstand seats from the rodeo grounds will be secured for spectators. The pageant will be laid against the green shrubbery background of the campus, carried out by representative pupils chosen by students.

FRAT FIRE FOUGHT

AUSTIN—(AP)—Fire of undetermined origin caused considerable damage at the Kappa Alpha Fraternity house at the University of Texas Saturday.

Books Wanted

No-Name Club Pushes Harlingen Drive

HARLINGEN — The Harlingen No-Name club Saturday issued a call for used books, in connection with its collecting project for benefit of the Harlingen Public Library.

Officers said the nucleus of a collection to be given to the public library had been gathered, but that all the used books, on virtually any subject, would be appreciated.

Owners of second-hand books in such fields as fiction, non-fiction, magazines or textbooks or children's books, will be gathered by members of the club at designated intervals at the homes. Books or magazines may also be left at the Delta Office Supply, Hertz Style Shop, Central Power and Light, C. R. Anthony Company, or McClendon's Grocery Store.

Canvass of the city will also be made in connection with the drive for books, officers said, to realize the greatest possible number of volumes for the library.

Racing Pigeon Sets New Course Record

TORRINTON, Conn.—(AP)—A racing pigeon owned by Charles Albrecht and John Fox of Torrinton was liberated in Port Huron, Mich., on June 4, 1937, for a 500-mile race to this city.

It arrived here Friday, still wearing its racing tag—number 3,366.

TCU ALUMNI MEET MONDAY

Kenneth Hay Will Speak Here



KENNETH HAY

HARLINGEN—Kenneth M. Hay, alumni secretary of Texas Christian University, has called a meeting of all alumni and ex-students of TCU to be held in the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel at 7:30 Monday evening, April 22.

This meeting is for the purpose of organizing a Rio Grande Valley chapter of the State Alumni Association.

Any person who has attended Texas Christian University for as much as one semester or who has an honorary degree or any official connection with the school is eligible for membership. Husbands and wives of members are invited as associate members.

This will be a Valley-wide organization and it is expected that the plan will meet with the enthusiastic approval of every TCU ex in this area. Twelve such groups have been organized during the past six months under Mr. Hay's leadership. He may be reached at the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel if any information is desired.

Mr. Hay, who is himself an alumnus of TCU and a graduate of Brite College of the Bible, the Seminary affiliated with TCU, will preach at the morning service of the Central Christian Church, Brownsville, and at the evening service of the First Christian Church of Harlingen.

ASSOCIATION MEETS

HARLINGEN—The Stuart Place Citrus Association will hold regular meeting Tuesday night at the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel.

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Farm Students Of Iowa Will Return To Valley

McALLEN — Iowa agricultural students have taken a liking to McAllen and the Rio Grande Valley.

The McAllen Chamber of Commerce Saturday received word that Iowa A. and M. College boys will again make this city their headquarters while visiting the Valley this summer.

C. S. Dorchester, instructor in animal husbandry and farming at the college, said he, an assistant professor, and 26 students would arrive here July 3. They will stay at Samson's Orange Courts.

Farm inspection trips for the visitors will be arranged by the McAllen chamber and County Agent R. G. Burwell. Dorchester told McAllen chamber officials last year they were always treated so well in McAllen he expected the field course to select this city as a permanent headquarters while in South Texas.

AUSTIN —(AP)— Funeral services were planned Saturday for George Mendell, Jr., 67, prominent Austin attorney and former member of the Texas Legislature who died Friday.

Japan, U. S. Agree On Islands' Status

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Kensuke Horinouchi, the Japanese ambassador, said after nearly an hour's conference with Secretary Hull Saturday that the United States and Japan were in substantial agreement as to the future status of the Dutch East Indies.

He added that both governments, along with The Netherlands, the Islands' mother country, "want to maintain the status quo."

VALLEY TRUCK CASES OUSTED

Ten Are Dismissed In Bexar Court

EDINBURG—Ten cases involving violation of the Texas truck load limit law were dismissed in Bexar county court the past week on the basis of the recent test case decision on the validity of the complaints used by the state department of public safety in overload truck cases, according to Sid L. Hardin, Edinburg attorney.

All of the Bexar county case defendants were Hidalgo county truckers who were charged with operating overloaded fruit and vegetable trucks in Bexar county while en route from Hidalgo county to market.

City Manager Not Counted In Census

HICKORY, N. C.—(AP)—One hundred persons reported to the chamber of commerce here overlooked by census takers.

Among them was City Manager Ralph Smyre.

Two Sick Brothers Accepted By Army

BINGHAMPTON, N. Y.—(AP)—The two Sick brothers are very well.

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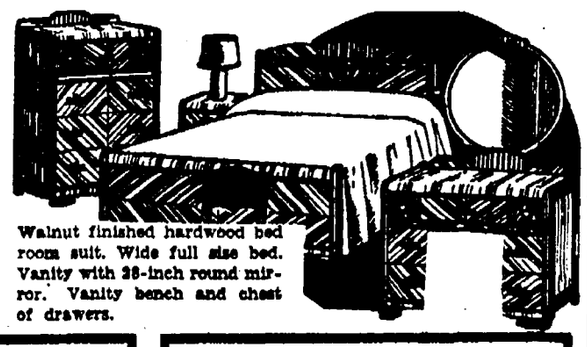
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RAILS FACING LOSS OF HALF U. S. MILEAGE

Airlines, Buses And Trucks Growing

By ROGER BABSON

NEW YORK CITY—Only reorganization of the railroads' capital set-up and policies can prevent the air lines, buses, and trucks from eventually making nearly one-half the railroad mileage useless. For that reason, I believe the Wheeler-Lea Bill, or some similar friendly legislation should be pushed through this session of Congress. The railroads should be unshackled to give them an even break in their life and death battle with other carriers.

The railroads are the nation's second biggest taxpayers, biggest customers, and biggest investment. If the railroads could get back on their feet, they could provide thousands of new jobs, put millions of dollars in investors' pockets and give business a tremendous hypodermic. Today, hampered by I. C. C. regulations, top-heavy capitalization, short-sighted labor leaders, and antiquated rate schedules, the railroads are being battered into a pulp by their aggressive competitors. Pullman traffic is going to the air lines; coach traffic to the busses; lucrative freight and express business to the trucks.

Air Line Load Double

I have no particular love for the railroads, but I hate to see a 20-billion-dollar industry die; I hate to see a million-dollar-a-day taxpayer sandbagged; I hate to see an employer of a million men hogtied. But that is exactly what is happening every minute. In the last two years, the air lines more than doubled their passenger load. Their rates are dropping steadily;—now are on even terms with Pullman rates on many a jump. Like the railroads, they are soon to segregate their mail, express, and passenger business. A year or two more and we will see freight trains of the air! This is the subrosa idea for using the thousands of military airplanes which, after the European war, will be available for commercial purposes.

The planes are great time-savers. Their safety record gets better every year,—actually beat the railroads in 1939. They are clean and comfortable; give wonderful service; every passenger is king. The railroads have improved in this respect, but are still far behind the air lines. They need new blood, younger personnel, men trained in public relations. Instead of disagreeable ticket agents, cold and impersonal train crews, they need employees who like making passengers and shippers comfortable and happy. The colored porters come closer to filling the bill than the high-paid conductors!

More Streamliners Needed

The roads must put on more stream-lined equipment—not on a few runs—but on many runs. Pullman rates must be slashed drastically, perhaps eventually eliminated. Running time must be continually speeded up. Duplicate runs must be stopped—trains pooled, branch lines eliminated. Freight rates must be flexible—quick to drop when competition threatens. Differentials in the South must be wiped out. Trucks cannot possibly haul heavy freight as cheaply and efficiently as the railroads if the carriers really want to compete.

Chief difficulties of the railroads are fourfold: (1) I. C. C. regulation. (2) Top-heavy capitalization. (3) Job-holding managements. (4) Unfair labor unions. Of these, Problem Number Two seems most urgent. Thirty per cent of the nation's mileage is in receivership—some of it has been there for nearly 10 years. Thirty per cent more has been one jump ahead of the sheriff for a similar length of time. A railroad in receivership is not my idea of sales appeal nor good advertising, either for freight or passengers. Certainly it does not help the bondholder nor the stockholder.

Receivership Racket

Receiverships do, of course, provide big fat salaries for lawyers, insiders, and receivers. The latter actually have more power in running a road in receivership than the president and board of directors had when the road was solvent. These fellows stall and connive to prevent reorganization. When a railroad comes out of a receivership they naturally lose their jobs. Final plans were just announced, for instance, for the Minneapolis and St. Louis which had been in receivership since 1923—nearly 20 years.

Under such circumstances, security-holders lose hope that the road will ever be reorganized. Hence, they sell their defaulted securities at enormous losses—far below their intrinsic value. Meanwhile, the receivers, lawyers, bondholders' committees, all suck the blood out of the road. Solvent, but sick, roads are in the same boat. They try desperately to keep out of receivership. They are forced to scrimp and cut corners to meet their bond interest. Their locomotives and cars wear out. They cannot afford to buy new equipment, to cut rates, to meet competition.

Wholesale Reorganization Needed

The best thing in the world for the railroads—and that means for every honest person connected with them—would be a sane, wholesale reorganization plan as proposed in the Wheeler-Lea Bill. No securities need to be junked. Junior bonds could be put on an income basis. Preferred and common stocks need not be wiped out. They could buy new equipment right and left. They would provide thousands of new jobs in car shops, textile mills, steel foundries, ore mines, lumber camps. And they would keep on paying taxes! Of course, Problem Number One—Regulation—must be attacked at the same time. The carriers must be given more freedom to run their business as they think wise. Once, when the railroads had a monopoly on transportation, I. C. C. regulations were necessary. Today, however, with airplane, bus, and truck competition, many of the I. C. C. regulations are harming both the public and the shippers.

If the roads win their battle, their employees and bondholders—perhaps even stockholders—may win. As it is now, they are a cinch to lose. If the Wheeler-Lea Bill is not just right, government, management, labor, and security-holders should be able to find some other working arrangement which could solve the problem. Certainly, we ought not to sit by and see all connected with the railroads—worker, tax collector, investor—get an unnecessary licking! The time has come when the Golden Rule should be applied to all interests. Discrimination is a cardinal sin!

Valley Wildcat Tests Holding Oil Interest

Discovery Wells To Attract Wide Attention

McALLEN — Production tests in two important deep Lower Rio Grande Valley wildcats will attract wide attention during the early part of the coming week.

In central Hidalgo County about 3,500 feet northeast of the San Salvador distillate field discovery, plugs will be drilled out prior to gun-perforating for production test in Gulf States Oil Co. No. 2 Josefa Cardenas, Share 156, San Salvador del Tule Grant. The hole was bottomed at 8,704 feet, but operators were unable to recover the last 70 feet of drill stem, collar and bit. Oil string (7-inch o.d.) was cemented at 8,622 feet after electrical survey was run, and casing will be perforated for production test of some of the deep sands. Little information has been released concerning production possibilities of sands below 7,800 feet in the hole. Down to that depth, it was reported that the regular San Salvador and La Blanca sands had been cored, as expected. The high-pressure gas sand at 8,704 feet, which drillers unexpectedly topped, threatened a blowout for 24 hours that caused the stuck drill stem.

High Pressure Gas

In southeastern Cameron county about six miles south of Port Isabel, Pure Oil Company No. 1 Garcia Land and Cattle Company, was to drill cement plugs in 8 5-8-inch o.d. protection string cemented at 8,303 feet. Operators cemented the long string because of high-pressure gas and salt water sands picked up in previous holes around 8,400 to 8,500 feet and expect to handle the pressure with the protection of the heavy casing string. The well is scheduled for 10,000 feet or deeper if the high-pressure sands can be controlled.

In northeastern Starr county, Sun Oil Company continued production test in its No. 1 Encarnacion Rodriguez, west part of Santa Teresa Grant and five miles north of the Sun Field. The well continued to make an estimated 175 to 200 barrels of salt water and 500,000 to 600,000 cubic feet of gas daily on 1-3-inch tubing choke with 1,800 pounds tubing working pressure and 2,200 pounds closed-in casing pressure. Production was from an important new deep sand in which casing had been gun-perforated with a total of 30 shots at 6,441-44 feet and 6,435-39 feet. Production string had been cemented at 6,460 feet after the hole was bottomed at 7,507 feet.

Several miles west and a little south of the Sun Field in northeastern Starr, Sun Oil No. 1 W. G. Lehr, Survey 513, started coring again at 5,123 feet after being shut down for several days for boiler repairs. It was reported that 1,300 feet of salt water was recovered on 15-minute drill stem test of sand cored at 5,030-55 feet.

In western Starr, R. C. Hillman's No. 1, Gonzales Heirs, Share 232, Por. 69, Mier Jurisdiction, was still fishing for a cone lost from a rock bit at total depth of 3,915 feet. Operators reported an oil sand cored around 3,640-53 feet but recovered only a few inches of the sand, which was reported to be in the Queen City.

NEW PRODUCERS IN THREE PROVEN FIELDS REPORTED

McALLEN — New producers in the Kelsey, Colorado and Rincon fields in Jim Higg, Brooks and Starr counties featured developments in proven Lower Rio Grande Valley fields Saturday.

In the Rincon field, W. R. Davis and Company completed one new producer and three others were making production tests. Three more wells in the field were drilling.

The new producer was Davis and Company No. B-15 Slick state, Survey 266, on the west edge of the field. It gauged 120 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with 350 pounds tubing working pressure and 550 pounds closed-in casing pressure through casing perforations (20 shots) at 4,248-54 feet.

Tests Under Way

Production tests were under way in four new wells in the area.

Davis and Company No. B-13 Slick Estate, Survey 266, had production test under way once more in the lower sand. The hole was bottomed at 4,236 feet after sand had been cored at 4,232-36 feet and 7-inch o.d. oil string was cemented at 4,232 feet. The well originally showed gas and a little distillate from the lower sand, and operators plugged back and tested three other sands between 3,700 feet and 4,000 feet. A short screen had been set on bottom in the well and new test was under way Saturday.

Also in Survey 266, Davis and Company No. B-17 Slick Estate was testing through casing perforations at 4,251-59 feet after the well had been bottomed at that depth and 5 1-2 inch o.d. casing cemented atop the sand.

Casing Gun Perforated

Davis and Company No. B-19 Slick Estate, Survey 266, pun-perforated casing at 4,227-45 feet after cementing 7-inch o.d. casing on bottom at 4,274 feet. The well was showing oil and gas on production test.

Making oil and wash water through casing perforations (60 shots) at 4,214-31 feet, Davis and No. B-20 Slick Estate, Survey 266, probably will be another excellent producer. Total depth was 4,279 feet where oil string was cemented.

Davis and Company No. B-21 Slick Estate, Survey 266, was abandoned dry at total depth of 4,299 feet without picking up worthwhile sands.

Steady drilling continued on three other wells in the field. Davis and Company No. B-22 Slick Estate Survey 266 was past 3,800 feet, the No. B-23 Slick Estate, Survey 266, was drilling below 4,000 feet and the No. A-3 Slick Estate, Survey 528, was making hole at 3,500 feet and was preparing to core around 3,600 feet for a shallower oil sand which has carried gas and water in other sections of the field.

Locations Are Staked

Locations have been staked for the Davis Nos. B-24, B-25 and B-26 Slick Estate, all in proven sections of the field.

In the Sun field in northeastern Starr, a new western outpost well had spudded, one new producer was being completed and another test, on the northeast edge of production, was coring.

Sun Oil Company No. 7 Augustin Olivares, Survey 239, an inside location, cemented 5 1-2-inch o.d. casing at 4,952 feet, which was also total depth, and was ready to gun-perforate for production test in sand cored at 4,903-11 feet. Drill stem test showed 1,400 feet of oil with 100 pounds pressure in 25 minutes.

Magnolia Is Coming

On the northeast edge of the field Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Enemorio Juarez, south part of Survey 241, was coring around 4,800 feet.

Sun Oil Company No. B-1 Geo. H. Speer, Survey 236, is a new western outpost well for the field, about 1,000 feet west of production. Operators were ready to start beneath surface casing cemented around 1,000 fet.

Humble Oil and Refining Company No. 3 N. R. Montalvo, Survey 237, in the northwest part of the field, was coring around 4,300 feet.

Humble had staked four new locations in Survey 237 in the field, including the No. 4 Montalvo, 933 feet north of the No. 2 Montalvo, and on which derrick is already built; No. 5 Montalvo, located 933 feet north of No. 1 Montalvo; No. 6 Montalvo, located 933 feet north of No. 4 Montalvo; and No. 7 Montalvo, located 933 feet north of No. 5 Montalvo.

Humble Has Producer

In the Kelsey field in Starr, Jim Hogg and Brooks Counties, Humble Oil and Refining Company had completed another new producer on the east edge of the field and another was drilling, both in Brooks County.

Humble's No. 66 J. C. McGill, La Blanca Grant, Brooks County, 3,600 feet east of discovery, gauged 130 barrels daily on 9-64-inch tubing choke with 650 pounds tubing working pressure and closed-in casing pressure of 850 pounds from sand at 4,726-33 feet.

About 5,500 feet east of discovery, Humble's No. 64 J. C. McGill, La Blanca Grant, Brooks County, was preparing to cement oil string after coring past 4,764 feet.

Producers Completed

Two new producers were completed in the Colorado field in western Jim Hogg County, one of which extended production 660 feet to the northeast.

Humble Oil and Refining Company No. 7 King Ranch-Colorado, Survey 42, gauged 151 barrels daily on 3-16-inch tubing choke with 180 pounds tubing working pressure and 700 pounds closed-in casing pressure from sand at 3,063-73 feet. It extended the field's producing area 660 feet northeast.

On inside location, Humble's No. 5 King Ranch-Colorado, Survey 42, cored the field sand at 3,072-82 feet and cemented casing at 3,070 feet.

The second producer for the Colorado field was Great State Oil Company (C. Andrade III) No. D-1 F. G. Trevino, southeast corner of Survey 37, on the north edge of the field. The well gauged 60 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with 200 pounds tubing working pressure and 350 pounds closed-in casing pressure from sand at 3,003-09 feet.

Considerable new drilling is in prospect for the Sullivan City field in Western Hidalgo County. Royal Oil and Gas Company of Houston, which recently purchased several leases, including a gas-distillate well of E. E. Baldridge et al in Tract 238, Porcion 40. This company is now engaged in deepening the Baldridge et al No. 1 V. G. Chapa, originally completed at total depth of 4,026 feet, to new total depth of 4,200 feet.

Location has been staked 330 feet out of the southwest corner of Tract 238 for Royal Oil and Gas No. 1 V. G. Chapa.

FRUIT PRICE SHOWS GAIN

Average For Week Is Three Cents Up

HARLINGEN — Valley grapefruit prices improved as the season moved into its closing phases with a steadily diminishing volume of shipments.

The Texas-Federal Market News Service reported in its Saturday bulletin that the average price per box for Valley grapefruit during the week just ended was three cents a box better than the week before and nine cents more than Florida got for her product.

The Valley sold 48,497 boxes of grapefruit on the auctions the past week for an average of $2.46 per box or three cents better than the previous week when 52,964 boxes were sold for an average price of $2.43 per box.

The Valley price also was nine cents better than an average of $2.37 per box for Florida fruit but that state marketed a large volume, 106,256 boxes on the auctions. The Florida price was only a penny per box better than the week before when 108,052 boxes were sold for an average price of $2.36 per box.

Valley fruit was sold on nine of the ten auctions and none averaged less than $2.00 per box. St. Louis, which also has the lowest freight rate, paid an average of $2.03 per box for 4,919 boxes while New York was the highest market with 6,139 boxes averaging $2.79 per box in spite of heavy Florida offerings. The St. Louis price netted about $8.85 per ton above delivered cost while the New York average netted about $23.50 per ton. The averages are believed to include white and pink meated fruits.

The Valley movement Saturday totalled 14 cars, the lowest weekday figure in some time and daily loadings were expected to decline still more during the coming week with only a few scattered packing plants left open. Florida dropped back to 40 cars Saturday after Friday's surprising 129, California moved seven cars and Arizona six to make the day's total 67 cars as compared to 180 the same date last season.

Track holdings moved back to 109 cars Saturday, having been 100 cars Friday. This was thought to be a week-end rise due to the fact no auction markets operate on Saturdays.

Show Planned

Exhibit By Science Classes Closes

McALLEN — Members of the science departments of the McAllen senior high school prepared over the week-end for their third annual open house in 1941 after completing a highly successful show this week.

Approximately 1,000 persons were registered at the open house for which students in the biology, chemistery, physics, art and home economics classes displayed projects on which they had been working virtually all year.

The following teachers sponsored the show: Miss Adele Johnson, home economics instructor; Don Erwin, art; Erwin Jacks, chemistry and general science and Charles Cameron, biology and physics.

GREENLAND SALE?

COPENHAGEN—(AP)—Danish foreign office circles declared Saturday that "the question of the sale of Greenland to the United States never has been raised, nor does it exist so far as the Danish government is concerned."

Special Train Is To Bring Pinocchio 'In Person' To Harlingen During The Week; Students Are To Be At Station

HARLINGEN—Pinocchio, internationally famous youth character, will make a personal appearance in Harlingen Wednesdy of this week, according to Theater Manager Jack King (Arcadia), and will arrive in a special Missouri Pacific train.

"As far as I know," said King Saturday, "this is Pinocchio's first and only public appearance in the United States, and is being made with special permission of the Walt Disney studios."

Hundreds of Harlingen school children will meet the train, which arrives at 3:15 p. m. Arrangements for this have been made with Supertendent E. O. Deering of the Harlingen schools.

The train, chartered especially for Pinocchio, will make the run from Houston to the Valley with just one person aboard—Pinocchio.

Saddle In Sky Gets Boost From C. Of C.

BROWNSVILLE — "Saddle In the Sky," the latest book from the prolific pen of J. H. Plenn, Brownsville newspaper reporter, is being given a boost by the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce.

Col. W. E. Talbot, vice president and general manager of the chamber, is mailing a prospectus to old, new and prospective tourists telling of Brownsville's climate and other attractions.

A notation on the card reads: "Have you read 'Saddle In the Sky'? It will remind you of Brownsville. Why don't you come down here this summer?"

Harlingen Townsend Club Meets Monday

HARLINGEN — Harlingen Townsend club will hold its regular meeting at the city hall here April 22 at 8 p. m., officers said Saturday. Col. George Hill, San Benito, will be principal speaker.

L. A. Baker, president, urged all Townsendites, of Harlingen and the Valley, to attend the meeting.

MUSICIAN DIES

WICHITA FALLS—(AP)—W. Henri Lamar, 43, died of a heart attack here Friday night during a concert of his orchestra at a social function.

Arms Blast Shakes London; Toll Five

LONDON —(AP)— Five men were killed and 15 injured in a munitions factory explosion in north London Saturday.

The blast shook the entire neighborhood. One workman who was nearby said the concussion was "terrific."

RAIL SHOWS PROFIT

DENVER—(AP)—The Great Western Sugar Company and its subsidiaries reported Saturday a net profit of $4,058,641.92 for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1940.

ING IS VISITOR

HARLINGEN—Frank Ing of Raymondville was a visitor Saturday afternoon in Harlingen.

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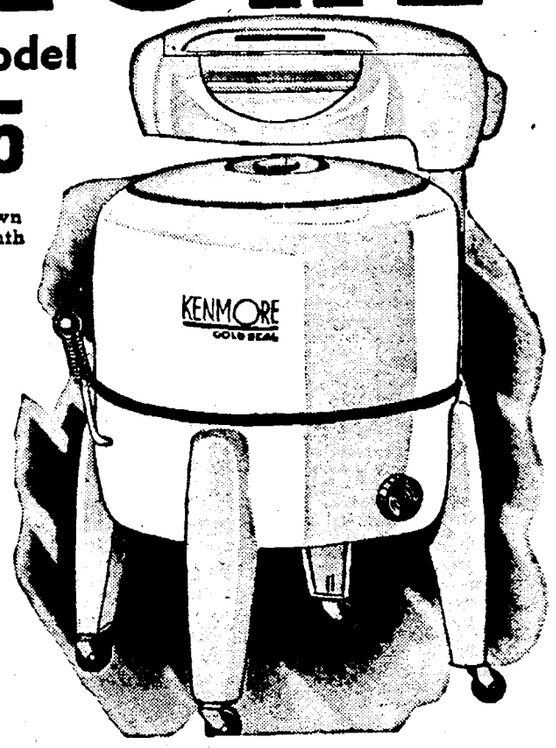
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Raymondville's benefit Tacky Party held Friday night at the FSA labor camp brought out some odd costumes. In the photographs above are, upper left, W. F. Hardrick, Raymondville, starting a windup to blot out a swastika painted on J. W. Hayes' pants. Upper right are shown Mickey Davis, Elzie Johns, Theo Smith and Bob Bryant, winners with prizes; left center, Nila Taylor and Buddy Davis and baby doll; Mrs. Charles Johnson and Mrs. W. F. Hardrick, center; and Mickey Davis and Bob Bryant in another pose. Lower left, V. H. Tumlinson, Mrs. F. D. Henderson and Henderson, Mrs. W. M. Horn, and W. F. Hardrick; and lower right, Carol Padgett as Esmeralda, and Mrs. Ira Page as the Hunchback of Notre Dame.

NEW TOURIST GAINS SHOWN FOR M'ALLEN

1940 Registrations Top Last Year's

McALLEN — Increasing importance of McAllen as a winter tourist center is shown in registration figures for 1939-40 released Saturday by the chamber of commerce.

The registrations for the past season, November 15 to April 19, totalled 3,671, or 225 in excess of the previous season and 353 above the registration two seasons ago.

At least 25 per cent of the winter visitors never register, which would bring the total number of visitors to nearly 4,200, tourist officials said. So far as available records disclose, these figures place McAllen next to San Antonio for the number of persons who spend a part or all of the winter in Texas to escape "back home" climate.

Entertainment programs for winter visitors are continuing steadily in McAllen and since programs in nearly all other cities have been discontinued for the season, tourists in all Valley cities are invited to join all McAllen parties, chamber officials said. Last week tourists from several other Valley communities came to McAllen to attend the programs.

Officials said they used total registrations and records of passports to Mexico issued here and at the Hidalgo bridge, plus estimates based on tourist court and hotel occupancy, to arrive at a figure of 10,000 persons believed to spend from a few hours to six months every year in McAllen.

An actual count made in January this year showed 2,022 tourists living in McAllen. The U. S. Bureau of Commerce estimates a transient tourist spends $5 a day. Chamber of commerce officials said that obviously was too high for the winter visitors in the Valley. But they pointed out that if the tourists spent only $1 a day, the payroll in McAllen was $2,022 per day. An actual survey, showed the average is much higher than $1 a day per person, as families interviewed were spending from a low of $60 a month to a high of $417 a month. This was said to have been McAllen's highest winter month's payroll.

St. Louis, Houston To Get Convention

LUBBOCK —(AP)— Southwest branch of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers will meet next year in St. Louis, and Rice Institute at Houston has been recommended for the 1940 convention site of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, it was announced at conclusion of a two day joint convention of the groups here Saturday.

Proven oil reserves in the United States now total nearly 20 billion barrels, of which Texas alone has 55 per cent.

Frozen Sleep Fails On Animals' Cancer

PHILADELPHIA — (AP) — The "frozen sleep" widely used as an experiment for treating human cancer has been tried on mice and failed to cure cancer in the animals.

The experiments were announced Saturday in the annual report of the International Cancer Research Foundation which describes the work in the past year of 38 groups of cancer experts in the United States, Europe and Japan. The foundation gave them financial assistance.

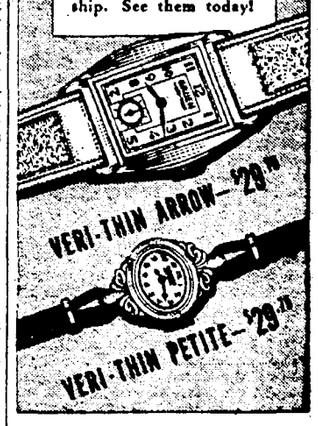


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Penny Drive Aids Refugee Children

BROWNSVILLE— The children's crusade "for children" is to be launched here Monday, and continue until April 30, to stress the blessings of American liberty, and secure financial aid for refugee youngsters of Europe and Asia.

The pennies of Brownsville school children, one penny for each year of their age, will be turned over to the refugee fund April 30.

School children throughout the United States are cooperating.

Classroom and auditorium programs, and articles in current magazines by leading writers, will also feature the movement.

Brownsville school teachers will hear of final plans at a general faculty meeting Tuesday at 4 p.m. at Brownsville high school.

Called by E. C. Dodd, superintendent of Brownsville schools, the combined faculties will hear of the program through Leo T. Allbritten, a faculty and committee member.

The Mexican consulate will tell of summer Mexican travel plans, and Mr. Dodd will also report on the recent Southern Association convention.

The faculty committee here planning activities for the children's crusade is composed of Mrs. Gertrude Sharp, Mrs. E. B. Russell, Mrs. W. J. Truss, Miss Emilia Fernandez and Mr. Allbritten. Art classes are working on appropriate posters.

The main objective, Allbritten said, is to emphasize the things taken for granted in the United States that are denied in other nations. The amount of April 30 contributions is subordinate, he added.

Mrs. Dorothy Canfield Fisher, novelist, originated the idea. The national advisory board includes Mrs. Fisher, Eleanor Roosevelt, William A. White, Justice Irving Lehman, Msgr. John A. Ryan and others.

ENVOY TO ICELAND

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Bertel E. Kuniholm, the United States consul at Zurich, Switzerland, was assigned Saturday by the state department to be the first American consul in Iceland.

FHA Predicts Home Building' 40 Boom

WASHINGTON —(AP)— New evidence of a coming home-building boom which might set a 12-year record was reported Saturday by Stewart McDonald, Federal Housing administrator.

He said all records for FHA home financing were broken during the week ended April 13, for the fourth successive week, as construction was started on 3,700 new units under FHA inspection.

GARNER MOVE SPREADS

DENVER —(AP)— Incorporation papers for a "Garner for President Club," to promote the candidacy of Vice President John Nance Garner, were filed Saturday with the secretary of state.

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Fat Rattlesnakes Sought By Barber

SPUR—(AP)—Cecil Fox, Spur barber, and his partner, V. C. Smart, are interested in locating all the fat rattlesnakes they can find.

A commercial snake farm in California pays them, not by the foot, but by the pound for all the rattlers they catch.

Rail Line Suspends Excursion Operation

NOGALES, Ariz.—(AP)—The Southern Pacific of Mexico has suspended operation of excursion trains or "extra" freight trains, due to a shortage of fuel oil, announcing that only a six-day supply for regular operation is available.

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THAT MAYOR RAMSEY returned this week from a safety meeting in Austin where he was awarded a plaque in behalf of Harlingen for the no-fatality record in 1939. This award was made by the Texas Safety Association.

THAT if you can't find what you want at your local store, you CAN find it in Harlingen.

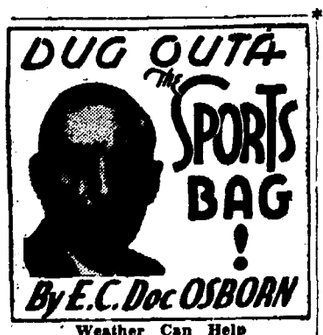
THAT this DO YOU KNOW feature is sponsored by the Merchants Committee of the Harlingen Chamber of Commerce? That's right, and suggestions of odd facts will be appreciated.

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Weather Can Help

All signs point to some real fishing when the International Tarpon Rodeo is held at the mouth of the Rio Grande, April 27 and 28. That is if the weatherman continues to give out this fine fishing weather.

And it is reported that tarpon are already swarming at the mouth, perhaps just getting in shape for the many anglers who are certain to enter the big fishing event. Make no mistake, when a tarpon prepares for you, he is a tough customer to handle. Which should make you want to take part in the rodeo.

By the way, Hurt Batsell, the fellow who annually stages the rodeo with everyone his guest, requests that if you are planning on entering, to please register at the Batsell-Wells Sporting Goods store in Brownsville. This can be done by letter or phone. It would help if the host has some idea how many to plan for. And he wants every angler from one end of the Valley to the other. Also all visitors. He tells us he will have enough coffee to go around regardless of how many accept his invitation.

You can give yourself a big thrill at the mouth of the Rio Grande next Saturday and Sunday—whether you take part in the rodeo or just watch the other fellow try to land his tarpon.

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New Red Players

A strong booster of the Cincinnati Reds called in yesterday to ask some questions about the new players with the National League champions this year.

After giving him such information as we had, we thought it might be interesting to others who are picking the Reds to win the senior loop flag again.

Here is some dope:

Jim Turner, veteran hurler obtained by the Reds from Boston, has control of a good curve ball. Jim is a hitting pitcher. He's at his best in hot weather.

Joe Beggs, sinker-ball artist, obtained from the New York Yankees. Expectional control and cool under fire. Won 12 and lost 10 for Newark last year. Showed well in spring exhibition games.

John Hutchings, up from Pensacola of the Southeastern League, where he won 22 and lost 10. Had 205 strikeouts last year for a new loop record. Also a good fielding pitcher.

John Cannon, southpaw with Albany last year. Won 13 games, while pitching in 33. Four years in pro ball and in four different leagues.

Bill Baker, third-string backstop, was second in batting in the American Association last year with a .338 average. Never played lower than Class A ball.

Russ Bevell, second-sacker, drafted from the Southern Association, hit .326 for New Orleans. Swift on his feet and a steady fielder. Has improved his batting average with every advancement.

Mike McCormick, speedy outfielder up from the American Association. No relation to Frank, slugging first-baseman. May solve the left-field problem. Is a ball hawk. Batted .318 last year, scoring 100 runs. One of the outstanding rookies of the spring exhibition games.

Neil Clifford, scrappy catcher of the Reds was obtained from Tacoma of the Western International League. Batted .328 along with driving in 80 runs. Tagged as a great prospect.

Damon Phillips, youngster of the Redleg squad. Not yet 21. One of the Detroit players declared a free agent by Commissioner Landis. Played shortstop for Henderson of the East Texas League last year.

Boxing Commission To Watch Amateurs

AUSTIN, Tex.—(AP)—The boxing and wrestling division of the state labor department Saturday notified amateur athletic organizations strict supervision will be placed on all amateur clubs sponsoring boxing and wrestling.

Travis McCall, in charge of the division, said clubs promoting amateur cards are required to affiliate either with the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation, the Gulf Coast A.A.U. or the Southwestern A.A.U. before conducting amateur shows.

They must make application for permission to stage shows seven days in advance of the contest and submit the name of a licensed referee for certification. Another provision requires that no club shall promote more than two shows in any one month and that no person connected with professional boxing and wrestling shall participate in any capacity during an amateur show.

McAllen's Bulldogs Win Final Contest

McALLEN — The McAllen Bulldogs defeated the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo Bears 5 to 2 here Friday afternoon in the final conference game in the upper bracket for the two clubs.

The Bulldogs meet the Harlingen Cardinals at the latter's field Tuesday for the first round of the play-off for the Valley title. Santa Rosa, winner of first place in the lower bracket, goes to P-SJ-A for another play-off game.

Three Other Valley Aces Win Firsts

K. Jean, Donna, Is Girls Net Champ

KINGSVILLE — (Spl) — Scornig three firsts, a second and a fourth for a total of 19 points, Karnes City won the regional track and field meet here Saturday, nosing out the Freer athletes who accounted for 17 tallies on one first place, three seconds, one third and ont fourth.

Laredo came in a close third with 16 1-2 points and Kingsville took fourth with 11 points. The Donna Redskins paced the Rio Grande Valley schools with 10 points and fifth place.

Other Valley schools finished with the following points: Lyford, 6 1-4; Stuart Place, 5; Brownsville, 4 3-4; Rio Hondo, 4; Raymondville, 3; Edcouch-Elsa, 2; Pharr-San Juan-Alamo, 2; La Feria, 1; El Jardin, 1.

Vaughn of Laredo won both hurdle events and placed second in the broad jump to take individual scoring honors with 13 points. Labus of Karnes City placed first in the 440-yard dash, second in the 100-yard dash, fourth in the broad jump and anchored the winning relay team to take second with 10 1-4 points.

Truman Cox of Donna and Adams of Kingsville, scored 10 points each while Pendleton of Woodsboro was fifth with eight points. Cox set a new regional record when he tossed the discus 128 feet, seven inches.

Four new records were posted in the meet as follows: Vijados, Karnes City, 880-yard run; Stranado, El Campo, mile run; Labus, Karnes City, 440-yard-dash; Cox, Donna, discus.

Among the first place winners were Medley, Stuart Place, who tossed the javelin 154 feet, and Ross, Lyford, and Stevenson, Brownsville, tied for first place in a four-way tie, with a mark of 11 feet, three inches.

The results:

220-yard low hurdles — Vaughn, Laredo, WILSON, LYFORD; Franke, Orange Grove, Valla, Laredo, 25.2.

100-yard dash—Adame, Kingsville, Mutschler, Yorktown; Pickens, Mirando City; Cooper, Cureo, 10 flat.

880-yard run—Vijados, Karnes City; Garcia, San Diego, LONG, RIO HONDO; GONZALES, LA FERIA, 2:04.7, new record.

Javelin — MEDLEY, STUART PLACE; Edmondo, Hebbronville; Fowle, Bay City; MORGANEAU, EL JARDIN, 154 feet.

High jump—Hunt Kenedy; DREYER, RAYMONDVILLE; STUART, BROWNSVILLE; Valls, Laredo, 5 feet 11 inches.

Shot put—Pendleton, Woodsboro; Cooper, Freer; COX, DONNA; Sanchez, Laredo, 46 feet, 7 inches.

120-yard high hurdles—Vaughn, Laredo; COX, DONNA; EVANS, P-SJ-A; Hemperly, Refugio, 15.9.

Broadjump—J. Anderson, Freer, 20 feet, 11 inches; A. Vaughn, Laredo, 20 feet, 10 inches; Greenberg, Bay City, 20 feet, 5 inches; Labus, Karnes City, 20 feet, 4 inches.

Mile relay—Karnes City, time 3:40.8. (Vido, Smolik, Mabry, Labus); Freer, Benavides, Kingsville.

440-yard dash — Labus, Karnes City, 51.3, (new record); Anderson, Freer.

Discus—COX, DONNA, 128 feet, 7 inches, (new record); Pendleton, Woodsboro; Cooper, Freer; Rous, Freer.

Pole vault—White, Aransas Pass; ROSS, LYFORD; Dornberg, Goliad; STEVENSON, BROWNSVILLE; all tied at 11 feet, 3 inches.

220-yard dash—Adame, Kingsville, 21.6 (tied old record); Ladu, Karnes City; BLACK, RIO HONDO; WILSON, LYFORD; and Salinas, Laredo; tied for fourth place.

One mile run—Stranado, El Campo, 4:45.6 (new record); Trejo, San Diego; STEPHENS, EDCOUCH-ELSA; Luark, Kenedy.

In the tennis events, Katherine Jean, of Donna defeated Martha Poole of Sinton, 6-3, 8-6, to win the girls singles title and E. Wehman and C. B. Lucas, Cuero, defeated P. Wilmeth and H. Hagedorn, San Benito, 6-3, 6-1, for the doubles crown.

Spilman of Mission beat Kelly, Ribstown, 6-3, 7-5, for the boys singles championship and Lovelace and Whaley, Corpus Christi, won over Williams and Chapin, Mirando City, 6-0, 2-6, 6-4, for the doubles title.

Merchants Play Eagles Today

BROWNSVILLE — The recently organized Brownsville Merchants, semi-pro baseball club, will take on the Harlingen Eagles Sunday afternoon at Charro Park here.

With a strong club managed by Adolfo Arguijo, the Merchants will put on the mound Robert Champion, with Choves Rivera seeing action behind the plate.

The Harlingen Eagles, managed by Lupe Rodriguez, rank among the Valley's fastest semi-pro clubs.

Girls taking part in the Brownsville softball league play will be admitted free at Charro Park Sunday, Arguijo has announced. Admission charge at the park is 25 cents.

To follow up Sunday's game the Brownsville Merchants plan to schedule a game for Sunday, April 28, with a strong up-state semi-pro club.

One Dove Not Migratory

Texas has one member of the dove family which is not migratory, remaining in the state the year around. It is the white-fronted dove, sometimes called wood pigeon, a game bird peculiar to the border section. Throughout the spring and summer months it is easily recognized by its drumming call, but during the winter it is extremely silent, not giving voice to a single note.

Riggs Will Battle Grant In River Oaks Net Finals

HOUSTON — (AP) — Irrepressible Bobby Riggs brought out his greatest shots Saturday to conquer poker faced Frank Guernsey in the semi-finals of the River Oaks Tennis Tournament here.

The National champion needed every expert maneuver to get past one of the finest retrievers in tennis, 8-6, 8-6, 4-6, 6-4.

The grueling battle consumed 3 hours and 15 minutes in mid-summer heat.

Bobby left Riggs the clown, Riggs the indifferent, in the locker room. Dead serious from start to finish, he pounded balls at Guernsey until he finally broke through to enter the finals against Bitsy Grant Sunday.

Guernsey beat Riggs the last time they met—in the Seabright tournament, last year—and Riggs knew he had a tough job on hand to beat the mite champion of intercollegiate tennis.

The match started in favor of the 24-year-old Rice Institute player. It took nine games for Riggs to assume the lead, 5-4, and in the tenth game he had set point and lost four straight to the unsmiling collegian. Riggs finally won in 14 games.

He ran out the second set convincingly but again had to play several extra games after being within shouting distance of set point.

Guernsey, defending champion, took the third set quickly.

Riggs experimented with a forcing game in the third set and adopted the same strategy to run out the match in the fourth.

As he lay puffing on the rubbing table, Riggs told Guernsey "I was lucky to win. You played a great game."

Miss Mary Hardwick of England breezed into the finals of the women's singles against Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Fabyan of Boston. Miss Hardwick eliminated Patricia Canning, 17-year-old Alameda, Calif., player, 6-4, 6-1.

Wilmer Allison and Johnny Van Ryn, old time Davis Cup and National champion doubles team, fell before Jack Tidball of Los Angeles and Charles Hare of England in a mild upset, 6-4, 11-9, 5-7, 6-2.

SETS NEW RECORD



Truman Cox, star of the Donna high school track and field squad, set a new regional record when he tossed the discus 128 feet, seven inches at Kinsville Saturday. (Staff Photo.)

Mercedes Team Contesting For National Honors

Schoolboy Shooters Fire Saturday

MERCEDES—Five young shooting stars, all of them students of the Mercedes high school, contested for national honors Saturday in the national Junior Riflemen's tournament under the sponsorship of the National Rifle Association.

The Mercedes aces were led in the scoring Saturday by Bob Schaeffer who hit the bull's eye for 196 out of a possible 200 points. Billy Paul Green turned in a score of 195, James Settles 193, Ralph Powell 192 and Bill Boller 185. The total team score was 961 out of a possible 1000 points.

Saturday's tournament included 50 of the nation's foremost junior rifle squads which shot top scores in the recent 6-match series in which 195 teams from 36 states competed. Mercedes and El Paso were the only Texas teams to qualify for the national championship match. Both aggregations finished the series with a score of 2920 out of a possible 3000 points. In each of the matches each contestant fired ten shots from prone position at a distance of 50 yards. In the championship event Saturday each competing marksman was required to fire 20 shots at a 50-foot distance.

The results of Saturday's tournament will be announced soon by the National Rifle Association to whom all scores fired by the 50 teams are being submitted for selection of the national winners.

The same quintet of Mercedes marksmen won the state championship in the Sons of the Legion Rifle tournament during the past two years and finished in 13th place in the national legion competition last year.

Topping the list of contestants in the present national tournament was the high school team of Etna, Pennsylvania which turned in a perfect score in the 6-match series and the Munhall high school coed squad which finished the series with 2998 out of a possible 3000 points. The Munhall girls have been the national champions for the past two years with perfect scores.

Los Fresnos Girls Win In Tournament

LOS FRESNOS — Displaying a steady brand of play from the opening game, the Los Fresnos girls won the championship of the girls division of the Rio Grande Volley Ball tournament held here Saturday.

The Los Fresnos team, coached by Miss Phail-Dean Copeland, defeated La Feria, 15-8, 15-10, in the final game after taking the measure of Rio Hondo, Brownsville and El Jardin. It was the third title won by the locals this season, others being the La Feria tourney and in the district meet.

The La Feria boys won the title in the boys' division, winning over Rio Hondo in the title game.

Members of the Los Fresnos team were: Barbara Jean Goates, Juanita Brooks, Elizabeth Galyean, Hazel Lipe, Ruby Jean Pederson and Patsy Weikel.

Twenty-two teams competed in the tournament, 13 in the girls' division and nine in the boys'.

Baylor Tennis Team Wins Over Aggies

COLLEGE STATION—(AP)—The Baylor tennis team won all singles and one doubles event to beat the Texas Aggies, five matches to one, Saturday.

Hilley downed Mitchell, 6-1, 11-9; Cornelieson beat Given, 6-8, 6-2, 6-1; Harris defeated Adams, 6-1, 6-2, and Haynes won from Krezdom, 6-3, 6-3.

Mitchell and Given won a doubles from Cornelieson and Haynes of Baylor, 1-6, 6-3, 6-3. Hilley and Harris defeated Adams and Krezdom, 6-4, 6-0.

Three Marks May Fall At Austin

By The Associated Press

At least three records will be in danger next month when 400 track field contestants converge on Austin for the state schoolboy meet.

Eight regional meets Saturday determined those who will go to the state capital May 3 and 4.

First, second, third, and fourth places in meets at Canyon, Abilene, Denton, Longview, Huntsville, San Marcos, Kingsville and Marfa are eligible for the state contests.

The state record for the shot put was surpassed by J. D. Montgomery of Moran, but it was not allowed as an official regional mark because the shot used was found to have been seven ounces too light.

The blond Montgomery pitched the shot 56 feet 1 inch, compared to the state mark of 53 feet 8 1-2 inches set by Earwood of Rock Springs in 1936.

Several other stars neared records as some 400 youngsters qualified for the state meet at Austin May 3 and 4.

Two weight men tossed the javelin dangerously near the state mark set by O'Neil of Yoakum in 1934. The record is 196 feet 8 inches.

Bill Barry of Ysleta got 194 feet 8 inches in the meet at Marfa. Batts of San Antonio Tech came within two inches of Barry. He paritcipated in the meet at San Marcos.

The mile relay team of Highland Park (Dallas) came within less than three seconds of the state record with a time of 3 minutes 28.2 seconds. Abilene holds the present mark of 3:25.6.

Ralph Schrimpf, Highland Park star, ran the mile in 4:59.7, which in 4.3 seconds over the state mark.

Barrett of Yoakum turned in one of the best pole vaulting exhibitions of the year when he went over the bar at 11 feet 10 5-8 inches.

Denzil Kennemer, Iraan's one-man gang, competing in the regional meet at Marfa, won the 120-yard high hurdles in 15.5 seconds, the 100-yard dash in 10 seconds, the 220-yard dash in 21.7 and was fourth in the javelin throw.

Kennemer looms as probably the season's outstanding all-around star.

Max Miner of Tahoka is another "one man team." Competing at Canyon he made all his school's points—15, setting a new regional record in the broad jump at 22 feet 1-2-inch, ran the 220-yard low hurdles in 25.1 and was first in the 220-yard dash.

Adame of Kingsville ran the 220 in 21.6, which beat Kennemer's time. Adame competed in the regional meet at Kingsville where Labus of Kansas City ran the 440 in 51.3, which was one of the best marks of the day in this event. Whitmire of Aledo had a time of 51.2 at Denton.

The state championship Brady team showed it again was strongly in the running by piling up 30.6 points to win the meet at Abilene. The Bulldogs qualified men in eight events, these including Beecher Huff and Aubrey Shaw, stars at last year's state meet.

Highland Park continued as the major threat, however. With Schrimpf and the mile relay team, Highland Park can contest any of them. Most times the state meet is won with 10 or 15 points.

While Miner was taking individual honors, a well-balanced Amarillo high school team garnered four first places and enough others to total 32 points for the Region One championship.

Shamrock, District Two champion, was third with 11 5-6 points, and Olton, District Three titleholder, came in fourth with 10 1-3 points.

AMERICANS SAFE

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The State Department received word Saturday that Americans at Bergen and Trondheim, Norway, including officers and crew of two American ships caught by the German invasion, were safe.

Rio Grande Yacht Club Aids Buccaneer Regatta

BROWNSVILLE — The Rio Grande Yacht club is to help conduct the Buccaneer Regatta at Corpus Christi June 9 during the annual Buccaneer Days celebration, June 7, 8 and 9.

R. W. Pitts, race chairman of the Valley club will have charge of the competition races June 9 with other members of the club assisting.

Corpus Christi's vast new seawall project, nearing completion, will provide an outdoor theater seating 20,000 persons for the event.

There are to be eight races held in the outboard regatta, two each in the A, B and C hydroplanes, and two for C class racing runabouts with a total of $640 in prize money. The cream of the outboard crop is expected.

"This will be a sanctioned regatta and all world records broken on the course will be recognized by the National Outboard Association," Pitts said. "A special party for the visiting drivers and officials will be held Saturday evening June 8. The races will start Sunday at 2 p.m.

Glover Johns, Jr., assistant secretary of the Corpus Christi Chamber of Commerce told Pitts that a few of the Buccaneer Day attractions will also include a gigantic parade and surfboard races; the Lions club is sponsoring the Gay Lady, a frontier days show; the North Beach Kiwanis club a bathing girls review; the Optimist club, a rodeo. The Junior Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the regatta.

Mr. Johns, who is also secretary of the Buccaneer Days committee, issued a special invitation to the Valley to attend, Pitts added.

The following officials, Pitts said, will conduct the Buccaneer Days Regatta: Mr. Pitts, chairman of the race committee; C. B. Sherry, Waco, NOA referee; Everett Easterly, Brownsville, chief timer; Ray Russell, San Antonio, chief starter; Gene Albin, Corpus Christi, chief scorer; Arthur Toft, Houston, and George Leonard, Brownsville, pit managers.

Also, Louis Bauman, Houston, and Kenneth Clark, Brownsville, measurers and inspectors; Mr. Johns, Jr., Corpus Christi, surveyor; Dale Fagin, Brownsville, chief summary man; Major John N. Merrill, Brownsville, chronometerman; Major H. M. Shoemaker, Harlingen, clockman, and Andrew Henricks, Corpus Christi, gunner. Several other officials are also to be appointed by Mr. Johns, Jr.

TENDER LAUNCHED

CAMDEN, N. J.—(AP)—The U.S.S. Curtiss, first navy vessel designed and built as a seaplane tender, was launched here Saturday at the yards of the New York Shipbuilding Corporation.

Four New Marks Established At Kansas Relays

Cunningham Fails In Mile Run

By HAROLD CLAASSEN

LAWRENCE, Kan. — (AP) — The heart was there but youth with its famous "kick" had fled, so Glenn Cunningham won only the sympathy of 12,000 spectators at the University of Kansas Relays Saturday.

He finished a stubborn last in a special mile run, feature event of the carnival which saw four new records etched during a long afternoon of competition by athletes from 48 colleges and universities.

A Rideout Stars

By leading at the half, Cunningham quickened the pulse of those who were here to bid him farewell, but Blaine Rideout came from nowhere in the final 220 yards to win in 4:10.1 and erase the name of Kansas' favorite athletic son from the records of the 18-year-old Midwest classic. The Kansan's mark of 4:12.7 had stood since 1934.

Other record-bettering performances were turned in by the University of Oklahoma's sprint medley quartet, Baker University's sprint relay team and four Abilene Christian College athletes who ambled two miles in seven minutes, 48 and 4-10 seconds.

But it was Cunningham a majority of the spectators came to see—and honor. He preceded the mile jaunt by announcing that beginning September 1 he would be connected with Cornell College at Mount Vernon, Iowa. Previously the man who has ankled the fastest mile in history said this, his ninth appearance at the relays, would be his last. For the past three years he has been associated with the University of Kansas extension department.

Blaine Rideout, wearing a white jersey to distinguish him from his twin brother in green, had a one-yard lead over Archie San Romani and Wayne Rideout who were about five yards ahead of Cunningham.

Boydston Falls

Don Boydston, Oklahoma A. & M. high jumper for whom big things have been predicted, captured the event but failed to better the record. He was a relaxed winner at six feet, six inches.

E. Lee Todd, Boulder, Colo., athlete, retained his decathlon title by collecting 6,730 points, 183 more than last year.

A rousing half mile by Ray Gahan meant a second straight victory and a new record for Oklahoma in the sprint medley. He took the baton ahead of Harold Brooks, the Nebraska runner, and sped to the tape for a 3:25.3 achievement. Rice Institute foursome set the old mark of 3:27 two years ago.

The Baker four, from Baldwin, Kansas, merely shaved their own mark of 3:36.7 from the 3:29.2 they hung up a year ago.

Abilene Christian College of Texas returned to track fame with a quartet of half milers that snipped more than two seconds off the best previous achievement, made by Emporia, Kansas, Teachers in 1933. Templeton, Womask, Beadles and Rushing were clocked in 7:48.4 for their composite two mile in contrast to the old effort of 7:50.5.

An hour later the school won the college distance medley with Sanders replacing Templeton and the remaining three runners the same. The time was 10:38.

Oklahoma's sprinters also displayed iron-man qualities by annexing the verdict in the half mile university event.

Gatewood Wins

Boyce Gatewood of Texas University, labelled the second fastest hurdler ever to compete in the Southwest, won his first major title with a 14.4 over the high barriers. Through his collegiate career he has placed second consistently behind the great Fred Wolcott of Rice, the national champion.

With Wolcott competing elsewhere Gatewood won easily Saturday. He broke away in front with only Phil Cope of Colorado close at the midway point. He finished fully four yards in front of Walter Revell of Pittsburgh Teachers.

Elmer Hackney of Kansas State, Jack Hughes of Texas and Bob Waldram of Missouri, were repeaters in the field events. Hackney found a toss of 49 5 5-8 inches sufficient to win the shot put title for the third year. Hughes again won the discus throw and Waldram, a southpaw, rules once more in the javelin division.

Brefus Bryan, who on each of two previous visits established new vault marks, was forced to share his honors this season with Dick Higgins of Missouri. They cleared but 13 feet, 3 inches in contrast to the 14 feet, 2 inches Bryan did 12 months ago.

Results included:

Half mile university relay: won by Oklahoma (Mathews, Coogan, Lyda, Koettelo); second, Texas. Time 1:26.7.

Javelin throw: won by Waldram, Missouri, 206 feet 5 inches. Fourth, Adair, Texas, 192 feet 6 inches.

Discus: won by Hughes, Texas, 153 feet 3 1-2 inches.

University quarter mile relay: first heat, won by Texas, 41.3; second, Oklahoma 41.8; third, Minnesota, 41.8; fourth, Kansas 42.4.

Second heat: won by Kansas State, 43.1; second, Iowa State, 43.8; third, Arkansas, 44.4.

Winner on basis of comparative time: Texas (Seay, Gatewood, Roberts, Ramsdell); second, Oklahoma; third, Minnesota; fourth, Kansas.

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Conchita Cintron's Fame Spreading

MATAMOROS — The current sensation of Latin sports circles—a pretty 17-year-old girl of American extraction who outdoes male matadors—will be featured on the bullfight program which will get under way here Sunday afternoon beginning at 4:30 o'clock.

She is Conchita Cintron, a small girl who does not know the meaning of the word fear. Conchita has killed more than 75 bulls, frequently being awarded the ear for unusually good work.

The youngster, the daughter of a former U. S. army officer who lived in Peru for many years, scored a rousing success in her first performance in the Matamoros ring several weeks ago.

Americans are awed at her skill and dexterity at a deadly sport, and the Latin-Americans cheer her for her sheer ability, particularly as a "rejoneadora" (horseback bullfighter).

She has been hailed by critical fans from Chili, where she was born, to Mexico, drawing the plaudits of the exacting fans in the big ring at Mexico City.

There are few male "rejoneadors" left in the world, and she is the only living woman who fights the animals from horseback. This is the old Portuguese style of bullfighting and she learned it from her riding master who is a Portuguese.

On her maternal side, Conchita is related to the Verrill family, one of the oldest families in New England. She is the granddaughter of A. Hyatt Verrill, authority on archelogy.

Other matadors on the program Sunday afternoon will be Alfredo Blando and Gregorio Garcia. If they suffer the fate of many other matadors, they will have to take a back seat to Conchita when the fans begin passing out the applause Sunday afternoon.

20-30 Softballers Will Battle Lions

HARLINGEN—The big blow off occurs this Wednesday night.

At the local softball diamond on that evening, first contest in the annual liniment series between 20-30 and Lions club tens will take place, with following games to take place when and if sufficient contestants recover.

The two clubs jointly are in charge of Wednesday nights at the local field, and will either play one another each week, or present games played by one or the other against outside tens. Both 20-30 and Lions have already received several challenges from out of town teams organized among similar clubs.

Four Tough Matmen On McAllen Card

McALLEN — Four wrestlers who haven't appeared at the McAllen Sports Arena for some time will be in the ring Tuesday night, Promoter George Chapapas announced Saturday.

Paul Jones and Babe Zaharias will battle in the main event. Both have excellent records and are among the best mat artists in the Southwest.

The semi-final will pit Paul Nyman of Finland against Jack League. Nyman is a newcomer. George Mansur will referee both bouts.

Panthers Meet Comales Today

WESLACO — Baseball fans who enjoy their sport in real doses will have their fill here Sunday afternoon when the Weslaco Panthers clash with the Comales, Mexico, team at 2:30 o'clock.

The visitors are recognized as one of the strong teams in northern Mexico and are certain to give the locals plenty of trouble. Among the players on the club is Jose Vasquez, former star of the Panthers.

Last Sunday the Panthers pounded out a 19 to 4 win over the Falfurrias Tigers and will be out to post another victory Sunday.

The Comales team roster is as follows; Donato Rocha, Surdo Silva, Augustin Medrano, J. Carranza and Jose Vasquez, pitchers; P. Ceniseros and Agustin Palomares, catchers; Joe Ortega, first base and captain; Savino, second base; Armendaris, third base; E. Salazar, shortstop; Garcia, left field; Caciano, center field; Nieto, right field; Ayala and Reyna, utility players.

On the Panther squad is the following players: Raul Luna, catcher; Rolando Garza, Bernando Pena and Bill Mills, pitchers; Lefty Ramirez, first base; Mitchell Bloomfield, second base; Juan Gutierrez, third base; Camilo Rodriquez, shortstop; Conde, right field; Chano Gonzalez, center field.; Langerhans, left field, Letty Garza, utility; R. Gonzalez, manager.

P.G.A. Tournament Landed By Hershey

HERSHEY, Pa.—(AP)—E. F. Ziegler, president of the Hershey Country Club, announced Saturday that the 1940 championship of the Professional Golfers Association had been awarded to Hershey by Tom Walsh, P. G. A. president, and would be held here August 26 to September 1.

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SEMI-FINAL

Two Out of Three Falls — One Hour Time Limit

LOU NYMAN vs. JACK LEAGUE

General Admission - - - - 40c

NORTH TEXAS STARS WIN TRACK MEET

Turn Trick By Posting 70 Points

And Rideout Twins Were Absent

HOUSTON —(AP)— North Texas freezed Saturday.

Turning back L.S.U.'s previously unbeaten mile relay team in the fine time of 3:17.6, and sweeping all four places in the javelin as a parting gesture, the Lone Star Conference Eagles won the triangular track and field meet at Rice Field with 70 points. Rice, featuring Captain Fred Wolcott, who scored 14 1-4 points, was second with 51 1-2 and LSU's Tigers, falling down often, wound up third with 48 1-2.

Besides the meet victory, Choc Sportsman's Teachers sent out Welby Williams to win the 100 yard dash over Wolcott and Harvey Bryant to step off the leading performance of the day. Bryant beat Frank Church of L.S.U. in the 880 in the time of 1:53.9, three tenths of a second under Calvin Bell's Southwest Conference record.

If the Rideout twins of North Texas, running at the Kansas Relays Saturday, had been here, the bout would have been worse.

Earl Wylie of Rice, broad jumping for the first time this season, turned in a big upset by beating Billy Brown of LSU in the broad jump. Wylie jumped 22 feet, 2 inches to nip Brown by an inch. The LSU star fouled on all four of his closing tries.

Lanky J. C. Devall of LSU high jumped 6 feet, 4 inches, and Harold Hall of Rice won the 440 in 48.5 seconds as other feature performances. Hall injured his knee slightly in the race that was a thriller all the way as it was.

Wolcott, victim of a bad start in the 100, won both of the hurdles in time just good enough to win, and ran a blazing anchor lap to give Rice the sprint relay in 42.8, slow time. Coupled with his second to Williams in the 100, this day's work gave him his total of 14 1-4 points.

Jim Deal of Rice won both the shot, with 46 feet, 8 inches, and the discus, with 138 feet, 6 3-4 inches, for ten points and second individual standing. Rice swept the shot, Earl Glassie, Jack Everett and Moose Hartman finishing behind Deal.

National

CUBS 4; CARDS 3

CHICAGO — (AP) — The Chicago Cubs won their second game of the season when they defeated the St. St. Louis Cards 4 to 3 Saturday. Bill Lee and Ken Raffensberger divided the pitching duties for the Cubs, allowing 12 hits.

St. Louis	AB	R	H
Brown 3b	5	0	0
S. Martin 2b	3	1	1
Slaughter rf	5	0	2
Mize 1b	5	0	2
Hopp xxx	0	1	0
Padgett 2	3	0	1
Epps x	0	1	0
Owen c	1	0	1
J. Martin lf	4	0	2
Moore cf	4	0	2
Marion ss	3	0	1
Warneke p	3	0	0
Jones xx	1	0	0
Shoun p	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	12

Chicago	AB	R	H
Hack 3b	4	0	0
Herman 2b	4	1	1
Galan cf	3	2	2
Leiber rf	3	1	1
Dallessandro lf	2	0	1
Russell 1b	4	0	2
Todd c	4	0	0
Sturgeon ss	3	0	0
Lee p	2	0	0
Raffensb'ger p	0	0	0
Totals	29	4	7

x—Ran for Padgett in 8th.
xx—Batted for Warneke in 8th.
xxx—Ran for Mize in 9th.

St. Louis	001	000	011	—3
Chicago	101	000	02x	—4

Errors: Russell, Sturgeon. Runs batted in: Mize, Moore, Leiber, Dallessandro, Russell 2, J. Martin. Two base hits: S. Martin, Padgett, Moore, J. Martin. Three base hits: Mize, Galan. Stolen bases: Moore, Galan. Sacrifices: J. Martin, Galan. Double plays: Marion (unassisted); Herman, Sturgeon and Russell; Raffensberger, Todd and Russell. Left on bases: St. Louis 12; Chicago 6. Base on balls: Warneke 1; Shoun 2; Lee 5; Raffensberger 1. Strikeouts: Warneke 2; Lee 2. Hits: off Warneke 5 in 7; Shoun 2 in 1; Lee 10 in 7 (none out in 8th); Raffensberger 2 in 2. Hit by pitcher: by Warneke (Lee). Winning pitcher: Raffensberger. Losing pitcher: Shoun. Umpires: Dunn, Stark and Sears. Time: 2:11.

American

BROWNS 11; WHITE SOX 1

ST. LOUIS— (AP) —Getting tight pitching from Eldon Auker, the St. Louis Browns walloped the Chicago White Sox, 11 to 1, Saturday, in their delayed opening home game of the season before 4,775 fans. Joe Kuhel's homer saved the Sox from a shut-out. Rip Radcliff drove in five runs for the Browns with a homer and two singles.

Chicago	AB	R	H
R Kennedy 3b	4	0	1
Kuhel 1b	4	1	2
Kreevich cf	4	0	0
Solters lf	4	0	1
Appling ss	4	0	2
Wright rf	4	0	1
McNair 2b	4	0	0
Tresh c	3	0	1
Rigney p	2	0	0
Knott p	1	0	0
Totals	34	1	8

St. Louis	AB	R	H
Radcliff rf	4	1	3
Strange ss	5	0	1
M'Quinn 1b	5	0	0
Gallagher lf	5	2	3
Judnich cf	4	1	3
Clift 3b	4	2	2
Heffner 2b	5	1	0
Busse c	1	1	1
Auker p	3	2	0
Totals	36	11	13

Chicago	000	100	000	—1
St. Louis	031	002	41x	—11

Errors: Wright, Kuhel, Knott 2. Runs batted in: Clift 2, Radcliff 5, Judnich, Kuhel. Two base hits: Clift, Gallagher, Judnich, Strange, Appling. Home runs: Kuhel, Radcliff. Sacrifice: Auker. Double play: McQuinn, Strange and McQuinn. Left on bases: Chicago 6, St. Louis 8. Bases on balls: Rigney 3, Knott 2, Struck out: by Rigney 3, Auker 5. Hits off: Rigney 9 in 6; Knott 4 in 2. Hit by pitcher: by Rigney (Busse). Wild pitch: Knott. Losing pitcher: Rigney. Umpires: McGowan, Kolls and Geisel. Time 1:54.

Uncle Billy Disch Will Take It Easy

AUSTIN — (AP) — University of Texas regents Saturday granted a leave of absence to W. J. "Uncle Billy" Disch, ailing baseball mentor, and placed B. A. "Bibb" Falk, former Chicago White Sox outfielder, in chrage of the team for the remainder of the season.

Falk has been acting coach of the Longhorns since Disch became ill two weeks ago.

HANEY HAS HIS HEADACHES . . . . . by Phil Berube





TEXAS LEAGUE

INDIANS 6; MISSIONS 1

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Bill Prince became the first Oklahoma City pitcher to go the full nine innings this season as he pitched the Indians to a 6 to 1 victory over the San Antonio Missions here Saturday night, dumping the Padres from first place for the first time this year. Prince gave up but eight hits and did not walk a man.

Okla. City	AB	R	H
Howell ss	5	0	1
Short cf	4	2	2
Corbett rf	4	1	2
Collins 1b	2	2	0
Jarkensen lf	4	0	1
Gedsius 2b	4	1	1
McDougal c	4	0	2
Nicholson 3b	4	0	1
Prince p	3	0	0
Totals	34	6	10

S. Antonio	AB	R	H
White cf	4	0	0
Hausman 2b	4	1	3
Bell lf	4	0	1
Kraus rf	4	0	0
Huffman c	4	0	1
Stevens 1b	4	0	1
Gorabian 3b	4	0	0
Stephens ss	4	0	1
Burck p	3	0	1
Totals	35	1	8

Oklahoma City	020	001	030—6
San Antonio	000	001	000—1

Errors: Stephens 2, Hausmann. Runs batted in: McDougal, Nicholson, Kraus, Corbett, Jorgensen 2. Two base hit: Corbett. Sacrifice hit: Prince. Stolen bases: Corbett, Collins, Jorgensen. Double plays: Hausmann to Stephens to Stevens; Stephens to Hausmann to Stevens. Base on balls: off Burck 2. Struck out: by Burck 1, by Prince 3. Wil pitch: Prince. Left on bases: Oklahoma City 4, San Antonio 7. Umpires: Steengrafe and Passarella. Time: 1:40.

OILERS 4; SPORTS 3

SHREVEPORT—(AP)—Tulsa Oilers opened a three-game series here Saturday night by bunching hits off Bobby Coombs and Lefty Brillheart to win by a score of 4 to 3 over Shreveport's Sports.

Tulsa	AB	R	H
Crawford 2b	3	1	2
Weigandt cf	3	0	2
Olson lf	3	0	0
Waitkus 1b	4	0	2
Platt rf	4	1	2
Lowery 3b	3	0	1
Merullo ss	4	0	1
Suema c	4	2	3
Campbell p	1	0	0
Hallett p	0	0	0
Totals	33	4	13

Shreveport	AB	R	H
Meyer 2b	4	0	1
Vitter cf	4	1	1
Grinberg 3b	3	1	1
Enstrling lf	4	0	1
Peel rf	4	1	1
York ss	4	0	2
Jones 1b	4	0	0
Friar c	3	0	0
Coomba p	2	0	0
Brillheart p	0	0	0
x Richards	1	0	0
xx Sim't'chi	0	0	0
z V Antwrp	1	0	0
Totals	34	3	7

x—Batted for Coombs in 8th.
xx—Batted for Friar in 9th.
z—Batted for Brillheart in 9th.

Tulsa	000	100	201—4
Shreveport	000	000	003—3

Errors: Campbell. Runs batted in: Lowery, Crawford, Weigandt 2, Peel, York. Two base hits: Crawford 2, Suema, Peel, and York. Stolen base: Platt. Sacrifices: Campbell 3. Double plays: Greenberg to Meyer to Jones; Merullo to Crawford to Waitkus. Left on bases: Tulsa 8; Shreveport 8. Bases on balls: off Coomba 1; off Campbell 1; off Hallett 1. Struck out: by Coomba 6; by Campbell 2; by Brillheart 1; by Hallett 1. Hits: Coomba 11 in 8 innings with 3 runs; off Crawford 6 in 8 1-3 innings with 3 runs. Wild pitch: Campbell, Hallett 2. Passed balls: Friar. Winning pitcher: Campbell. Losing pitcher: Coomba. Umpires: Palmer and Wilson. Time: 1:50.

Longview Defeats Tyler Trojans 4-2

TYLER — (AP) — Cecil Gramly, small right hander, allowed six hits Saturday as Longview downed Tyler 4 to 2.

Gramly, off to a rough start when Leo Shoals, Tyler first baseman, homered with a mate aboard in the first, settled down and struck out 12 batters in the first six innings.

Ty Cobb worked for Tyler until Longview jumped on him for two runs in the sixth and Jack Atkinson went in to pitch faultlessly for the balance of the game, holding Longview hitless.

The line score:

Longview	200	002	000—4 8 2
Tyler	200	000	000—2 6 1

Gramly and Weiland; Cobb, Atkinson and Deweese.

Probable Pitchers

NEW YORK—(AP)—Probable pitchers in the major leagues Sunday:

American League

Chicago at St. Louis—Lyons vs Coffman.
Detroit at Cleveland—McKain vs Feller.
Washington at New York—Krakauskas vs Hadley.
Philadelphia at Boston—Heusser vs Galehouse.

National League

St. Louis at Chicago—Davis or McGee vs Dean.
New York at Brooklyn—Gumbert vs Hamlin.
Boston at Philadelphia—Errickson vs Higbe.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh—Walters vs Brown.

SCORE BOARD

CATS 5; BUFFS 3

HOUSTON—(AP)—Old Beartracks Greer turned in his third straight victory of the Texas League season Saturday afternoon, scattering 13 hits to pitch the Fort Worth Cats to a 5-3 victory over the Buffs.

Ft. Worth	AB	R	H
Baron 1b	2	0	1
McDowell 2b	3	0	0
Abreu ss	3	1	1
Jeffries 3b	3	1	0
Cazen rf	2	1	0
Shatham cf	4	0	1
Dana lf	4	1	1
Linton c	3	1	1
Greer p	3	0	1
Totals	27	5	6

Houston	AB	R	H
M'Knugh 3b	5	0	0
Antonelli 2b	5	1	3
Winsett lf	3	1	1
Cullop rf	4	0	1
Wyrostek cf	5	1	4
Cross x	0	0	0
Narron c	5	0	1
Angle 1b	3	0	0
Davis ss	4	0	2
Nowak p	1	0	0
Wilks p	1	0	1
Vezelich ss	1	0	0
Wachol p	0	0	0
Totals	37	3	13

x—Ran for Wyrostek in 9th.
xx—Hit for Wilks in 8th.

Fort Worth	002	300	000—5
Houston	011	000	100—3

Error: Cullop. Runs batted in: Narron, Baron 2, Winsett, Chatham, Greer, Wyrostek. Two base hits: Wyrostek, Baron, Winsett, Davis. Three base hits: Antonelli, Chatham. Sacrifice: Greer. Double plays: Nowak to Davis to Angle 2; Abreu to McDowell to Baron 2; McDowell to Abreu to Baron; Davis to Antonelli to Angle. Bases on balls: Nowak 5, Greer 5, Wilks 3. Struckout: Geer 4, Wilks 1, Wachol 1. Innings pitched: Nowak 3 (none out in fourth) with three hits, 5 runs; by Wilks 5 with 3 hits, no runs. Losing pitcher: Nowak. Left on bases: Fort Worth 4, Houston 2. Umpires: Naylor, Williamson and Boggess. Time: 1:55.

EXPORTERS 10; REBELS 1

BEAUMONT— (AP) —Les Mueller scattered nine hits up and down the Dallas batting order Saturday and the Exporters defeated the Rebels handily in the series opener 10 to 1.

The same clubs play a double-header Sunday afternoon.

Dallas	AB	R	H
Levey ss	2	0	0
Winburn ss	3	0	1
Adair 2b	1	0	0
Rigby 2b	3	0	0
Trent cf	3	0	0
Fucinelli rf	1	0	0
Mort 1b	3	1	2
H. B. Lee lf	4	0	1
Clard 3b	4	0	1
Cronin c	4	0	2
Touchstone p	0	0	0
Pintar p	1	0	0
Humphrey p	2	0	1
x Savino	1	0	1
Totals	32	1	9

Beaumont	AB	R	H
Korte ss	3	2	1
Lilly 2b	5	1	2
Harris rf	4	2	1
Franklin 3b	3	0	0
Sturdivant 1b	4	1	2
Patrick cf	4	2	2
Carter lf	4	0	2
Hinkle c	4	1	1
Mueller p	3	0	1
Totals	34	10	12

x—Batted for Humphrey in 9th.

Dallas	010	000	000— 1
Beaumont	421	300	00x—10

Runs batted in: Lilly, Harris, Franklin, Sturdivant 3, Patrick, Carter, Cronin. Earned runs: Beaumont 8, Dallas 1. Two base hits: Patrick, Mueller, Winburn. Bases on balls: off Pintar 2, Humphrey 1, Mueller 5. Struck out: by Pintar 2, Humphrey 2, Mueller 8. Pitchers' statistics: 4 hits 4 runs off Touchstone in 2-3 inning, 5 hits 5 runs off Pintar in 2 1-3 innings, 3 hits 1 run off Humphrey in 5 innings. Double plays: Korte to Sturdivant, Korte to Lilly to Sturdivant, Winburn to Rigby to Mort, left on bases: Beaumont 5, Dallas 8. Sacrifice hit: Mueller. Stolen bases: Patrick 2, Carter, Hit by pitched ball: Franklin (by Humphrey). Umpires: Fowler and Tongate. Erros: Adair, Cronin. Time of game: 2.05.

TEXAS LEAGUE
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Fort Worth	6	3	.667
San Antonio	5	3	.625
Houston	4	3	.571
Beaumont	4	3	.571
Shreveport	3	4	.429
Dallas	2	3	.400
Oklahoma City	3	5	.375
Tulsa	2	5	.286

Results Saturday
Beaumont 10; Dallas 1
Fort Worth 5; Houston 3
Oklahoma City 6; San Antonio 1
Tulsa 4; Shreveport 3.
Games Today
Tulsa at Shreveport
Oklahoma City at San Antonio (2)
Dallas at Beaumont (2)
Fort Worth at Houston

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Cleveland	2	0	1.000
Boston	3	1	.750
St. Louis	2	1	.667
New York	2	1	.667
Philadelphia	2	2	.500
Detroit	1	2	.333
Chicago	0	2	.000
Washington	0	3	.000

Results Saturday
St. Louis 11; Chicago 1
Only game played.
Games Today
Washington at New York
Philadelphia at Boston
Detroit at Cleveland
Chicago at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Cincinnati	3	0	1.000
Brooklyn	3	0	1.000
Philadelphia	1	0	1.000
Pittsburgh	1	0	1.000
Chicago	2	2	.500
Boston	0	1	.000
New York	0	2	.000
St. Louis	0	3	.000

Results Saturday
Chicago 4; St. Louis 3
Only game played.
Games Today
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh
St. Louis at Chicago
Boston at Philadelphia
New York at Brooklyn.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Milwaukee	1	0	1.000
Indianapolis	1	0	1.000
Louisville	1	0	1.000
Toledo	1	1	.500
Kansas City	1	1	.500
Columbus	0	1	.000
St. Paul	0	1	.000
Minneapolis	0	1	.000

Results Saturday
All games postponed, rain.
Games Today
Kansas City at Columbus
Minneapolis at Indianapolis
St. Paul at Louisville
Milwaukee at Toledo.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
Little Rock 6; Memphis 3
Only game played.

NEW TECH CAPTAINS

LUBBOCK—(AP)—Lonnie McCurry, a senior guard from Lubbock high school, and Tyrus Bain, a junior quarterback from Mexia high school, will co-captain the 1940 Texas Tech football team, Coach Pete W. Cawthon announced Saturday.

Mustangs In Second Win Over Baylor Bear Nine

DALLAS—(AP)— Brooks Atchison scattered five hits and struck out twelve Baylor Bears Saturday to give the Southern Methodist Mustangs a clean sweep in the two-game Southwest Conference series. The score was 3 to 2.

Sherman Barnes, also a tall right hander, went the route for Baylor and allowed only eight hits. Eight Mustangs fell victim to his fast breaking curve.

Joe Terry's knee was hurt in the sixth when Bianchi slid into third base and went ont of the game. The injury wasn't believed to be serious.

The box score:

BAYLOR	Ab	R	H	O	A
Harris lf	4	0	0	0	0
Richardson 2b 3b	4	0	0	2	2
Witt ss	4	0	2	3	4
Haley 1b	4	1	1	7	0
Radney rf	3	0	1	1	0
Terry 3b	3	1	1	1	1
Kemp 2b	0	0	0	2	0
Lummus cf	3	0	0	0	0
XX Willis 3b	1	0	0	0	0
Bryce c	3	0	0	8	0
Barnes p	3	0	0	0	3
Byrd cf	3	0	0	0	0
x Williams	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	2	5	24	10

SMU	Ab	R	H	O	A
Kilmer ss	3	0	1	1	3
Davis 2b	3	0	1	2	4
Hagerman cf	3	0	0	0	0
Bedsole cf	1	0	0	0	0
Keith 1b	4	1	1	12	0
Bianchi lf	4	1	3	0	0
Ramsey rf	4	1	1	0	0
Atchison p	3	0	0	0	0
Clement 3b	4	0	1	1	2
Aulenbach c	3	0	0	11	1
Totals	32	3	8	27	10

x—Batted for Kemp in 8th
xx—Batted for Lummus in 8th

Baylor	000	010	010—2
SMU	000	201	00x—3

Errors—Keith, Richardson, Witt, Barnes. Runs batted in—Bianchi, Clement, Harris, Radney. Two base hits—Bianchi, Davis. Three base hits—Witt, Haley. Stolen bases—Kilmer 2, Radney 2, Clement, Bianchi. Double plays—Richardson to Witt to Haley. Left on bases—SMU 8, Baylor 8. Bases on balls—off Atchison 3, Barnes 4. Strike outs—by Atchison 12, Barnes 8. Hit by pitcher—by Atchison (Barnes). Passed balls — Aulenbach 1. Umpires — Capps and Smith. Time—2:07.

Baseball Banter

By JUDSON BAILEY

NEW YORK —(AP)— The added fame that has come to Bo. Feller for pitching the first no-hit no-run opening game in major league history nearly was Herb. Pennock's back in 1915. . . People quickly forgot the "almosts," but Pennock, then a 19-year-old youngster still to become one of the great southpaws of his time, went until two were out in the ninth inning of the inaugural between the Philadelphia Athletics and the Boston Red Sox before yielding a scratch single.

In the first inning Tris Speaker of the Red Sox waited out a base on balls. After that nobody reached first until Harry Hooper came to bat with two gone in the ninth. . . He popped a looper just out of Pennock's reach. . . Larry Lajoe fielded the ball cleanly, but his throw to first was just too late to catch the runner and Pennock's chance at fame went fluttering.

Bulky Harris of the Washington Senators is telling folks here he thinks Al Hollingsworth will do his club some good. . . . The last time the Senators picked up a Dodger Cuastoff he turned into a 20-game winner: Dutch Leonard. . . . Jim Pofahl, the Senators freshman shortstop, is a flash at fielding but he was out of position often in Washington's test against the Yankees.

The New York giants as a club have a .195 batting average. . Frank Frisch wanted new faces in the Pittsburgh Pirates' outfield, so he made Paul Waner don spectacles on the playing field. . . Is this another case of American League superiority: Umpire Red Ormsby has 12 children and Umpire Bill Summers has eight. . .

The interference bad weather has given the major leagues in their first week for the last couple of years has made some of the club owners give serious attention to the complaints of Walter O. Briggs, moneybags of the Detroit Tigers, who wants the schedule shaved a week on each end.

Joe Moore Grabs High School Title

DALLAS— (AP) —Joe Moore, Jr., of the Texas Military Institute, San Antonio, trimmed Jack Sellman of Houston, 7 and 6, to win the Texas High School golf championship tournament here Saturday.

Moore, who is state junior champion, shot a par 36 on the outgoing nine in the morning round to gain a four hole lead. His 37 on the incoming nine gave him a six-hole lead.

Sellman reduced this one hole by shooting a 38 to Moore's 39 on the first nine in the afternoon. They halved the 28 with bogeys but Moore took the next two with par figures as Sellman three putted both holes.

Longhorns Beat Texas Aggies In Conference Tilt

Steers Pound Out Seventeen Hits

COLLEGE STATION— (AP) —The University of Texas regained its winning ways Saturday, downing its arch rivals, Texas A. and M., 9 to 3, after suffering defeat for the first time of the season at the hands of Rice Institute Friday at Houston.

Johnny Hill, Steer first baseman, celebrated his return to regular duty by slapping a homer off Lindsey in the second.

The box score:

TEXAS A. AND M.	AB	R	H	O	A
Ballow, ss	4	0	0	1	3
B. Stone, 3b	5	0	0	1	4
Alsobrook, cf	5	1	2	1	0
Scoggin, lf	3	0	1	1	0
Rice, lf	2	0	0	0	0
Doran, c	4	0	1	7	0
Kirkpatrick, rf	3	1	2	1	0
Jeffrey, 2b	3	0	0	3	2
Henderson, 1b	1	0	1	3	0
Pugh, 1b	2	0	0	8	0
J. Lindsey, 2b	2	0	1	1	1
Stevepnson, p.	0	0	0	0	1
L. Lindsey, p	0	0	0	0	0
Bumpers, p	3	0	2	0	4
Cooper (a)	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	37	3	10	27	15

(a)Batted for Ballow in 9th.

TEXAS	AB	R	H	O	A
Haas, rf	6	2	2	3	0
J. Stone, 2b	6	1	2	2	2
Pfeil, cf	4	1	0	4	1
Hill, 1b	4	1	2	7	0
Layden, lf	5	1	2	3	0
Moers, 3b	4	0	2	3	1
Croucher, ss	2	1	0	0	4
Everett, c	3	1	1	5	0
Deutsch, p	4	1	2	0	1
Totals	38	9	13	27	9

Texas U.	810	000	000—9 13 2
Texas A. and M.	000	000	111—3 10 5

Errors, Moers, J. Stone, Doran 3, Jeffrye, B. Stone; runs batted in, J. Stone 3, Layden, Moers 2, Haas, Hill, Henderson, J. Lindsey, Alsobrook; two-base hits, Haas, Moers, J. Stone, Alsobrook, J. Lindsey, Henderson; home run, Hill; stolen bases, J. Stone; sacrifices, Hill, Croucher, Deutsch; double plays, Stone to Jeffrey to Pugh, Pfeil to Hill. Left on bases, Longhorns 11, Aggies 9; bases on balls, off Deutsch 2, Stevenson 1, Bumpers 4; struck out, by Deutsch 4, by Bumpers 8; hits, off Stevenson 6 hits, 8 runs, 2-3 innings; off R. Lindsey 4 hits, 1 run in 1-3 (none out in 2nd); off Bumpers 3, no runs in 8 innings; hit by pitchers (Everett); passed ball, Doran; losing pitcher, Stevenson; umpires, Tolar and Walsh; time of game 2:45.

Rainy Weather Hits Baseball Schedule

NEW YORK—(AP)—For the harrassed New York Giants the rainsqualls which swept Saturday's sports schedule awash were welcome.

At least, the Terrymen weren't subjected for a second straight day to the assaults of baseball's most rabid fandom—the Brooklyn bleacherites—and the do-or-die Dodgers in an encore of the fierce interborough rivalry that opened Friday with the Dodgers on the long end of a 12-0 score.

But to thousands of other athletes the storms which lashed the East, parts of the South and the Mid-West meant a day of enforced idleness that should have been marked by active competition.

Many baseball games were soaked out. Only two games in the majors were played—the Cubs and the Cards in Chicago and the Browns and the White Sox in St. St. Louis.

Cadets First In Four-Way Meet

FORT WORTH—(AP)—The Texas Aggies, scoring heavily in the short races and the hurdles, captured a quadrangular track meet here Saturday. The Aggies scored 84 points. The SMU Mustangs were second with 43 points, while Baylor scored 27 and TCU 17.

The Cadets dominated the meet from the start when blond Alabama Smith won the century until near dusk when the Aggies' Red Cecil took the broad jump.

Two former conference shotputters, Jim Thomason '39 winner from A. and M., and Bob Cooke, '38 titlist of TCU were beaten in this event by the Baylor sophomore footballer, Jack Wilson.

The Hawser-muscled Baylor boy heaved the 16 pound shot 48 feet 5½ inches.

Gaunt Fletcher Gibson of SMU, a transfer from Michigan State, scored triumphs in the one mile and two mile events.

NO SOAP

LUBBOCK—(AP)—A reward seeker couldn't find Bobby Jones listed in the Lubbock telephone directory.

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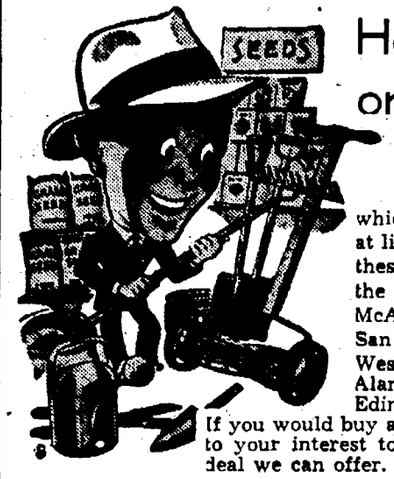
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Interpreting The War News

Was Hitler Forced?

Allied Troops Penetrate Norway, Join The Norse For Attack On Invaders

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press Staff Writer

What actually prompted Germany's invasion of Norway and Denmark remains as debatable two weeks after the fact as its effect on the trend of the Allied-German war.

Yet not only Franco-British war plans, but the policy making of those two major unknown quantities of the European equation, Italy and Russia, necessarily hinge as much or more on the way of that invasion as upon its immediate military, economic and political consequences.

The single, immediate military objective discernible in Norway for Germany is establishment of close-up air and submarine bases from which to harry Allied North Sea shipping. That would be a serious but not fatal blow to the Allies.

No Allied Loss

Diversion of the entire Scandinavian output of food and other supplies to German use is also a possible controlling Nazi motive. Yet loss of all Scandinavian supply sources cannot gravely complicate matters for Britain and France.

Nevertheless, to attain one or both of these ends—if not with more sinister purposes of launching "complete war" against England—Germany voluntarily stepped out from behind her westwall defenses, exposing herself to possible economic and military disaster in Scandinavia. Why?

From this distance, it seems explainable only by unknown factors within Germany.

With his forces marshalled compactly behind all but impregnable defenses in the west, Hitler had a chance to force a stalemate peace. A negative victory could have won the war for him.

That fact had worried the Allies. An offensive role, economic and military, was forced upon them.

No Nearer Victory

Invasion of Norway and Denmark does not bring Hitler perceptibly near a quick military victory. On the contrary, he has offered battle to the Allies in the open.

That prompts Allied hope that economic encirclement forced Hitler's hand within eight months. Future if not present shortages in Germany of such war essentials as food and oil, the Allies believe, compelled Hitler to strike for a short and bloody end of the war.

All told, potential debits for Germany still seem to off-set the visible assets of the stroke. Its cost to Germany already is heavy: a third of remaining Nazi naval strength, by Allied count; a battle front vastly extended in unfortifiable territory; exposure of Germany's iron ore sources in Scandinavia to the risk of complete stoppage.

Why did Hitler take the risk; and what do his cautious and highly trained military captains think of it? That is the greatest riddle this war of riddles has yet produced.

BIRTHDAY PARADE

OSLO—(AP)—German troops occupying the Norwegian capital paraded through Karl Johan street Saturday in celebration of Adolf Hitler's 51st birthday. The marchers included infantry, air force and navy units.

PRICE STEADY FOR CABBAGE

Movement Increases On Saturday

HARLINGEN—Reports of shippers from Edinburg to San Benito indicated that cabbage prices Saturday were holding around $20 to $25 per ton to the grower, according to condition.

The movement increased slightly from the Valley to 12 cars Saturday after having moved at the rate of 10 cars daily for several days this week. Alabama moved one car, California 21, Florida 67, Louisiana one, South Carolina one and Wisconsin a car of old stock to make a U. S. total of 110.

The Texas-Federal Market News Service at Weslaco reported the potato movement slowed down in the Valley with only 26 cars out Saturday as compared to 30 from Florida. The Valley movement is believed still to be suffering from a one-day involuntary digging holiday imposed by strong winds Thursday.

Potato prices were reported about the same as for the past week.

The onion movement out of Willacy county totalled only three cars Saturday, the total for the entire state being 41 cars.

Dinner Planned

Tourists Will Dine At Reynosa

McALLEN—Winter visitors will go to Reynosa Wednesday afternoon for a farewell dinner, leaving the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building at 5 p.m. Tourists from all over the Valley are invited to take part in the dinner.

The activities for the coming week will begin at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday with a bridge and Chinese checker game party at the tourist club rooms.

The tourist Spanish class will participate in drills in Spanish and Latin-American children will entertain with songs and dances at 7:30 p.m. Thursday. Friday the tourists will meet at the chamber of commerce for a tour to unvisited spots in the Valley.

Highway Men Elect Burton Dwyre Head

SANTA FE, N. M.—(AP)—The 19th annual convention of the Western Association of State Highway Officials adjourned here Saturday after electing Burton Dwyre, New Mexico state highway engineer, as its next president.

Holdover executive committee members included R. L. Bobbitt, Texas highway commissioner.

Amerada Profit Off For Period Of 1939

NEW YORK—(AP)—Net profits of Amerada Corporation and subsidiaries in 1939 totaled $1,230,764, or .56 a share on capital stock, compared with $1,634,486, or $2.07 a capital share, in 1938, A. Jacobsen, president, told stockholders in the annual report. Company produces and sells crude oil and natural gas in the midwest, southwest and California.

Last Of Dalton Boys Is Held In Stabbing

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Robert E. Dalton of Meridian, Miss., claiming to be the "last of the Dalton Boys," was held Saturday for the serious stabbing of Lee Meyer, 52, salesman of Tulsa, Okla.

Detective Captain Fred Williams said Dalton told him he stabbed Meyer, a stranger to him, "because he kidded me too much." The affray occurred in the lobby of a downtown hotel (New Orleans.)

GOP TO MMET

BROWNSVILLE—The Women's Republican club of Cameron county will be luncheon guests Monday at 12:15 p. m. at the home here of Mrs. Lena Gay More, Republican national committeewoman for Texas.

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POTEET AGAIN HEADS SCHOOL

50 Teachers Named To Factulty

MERCEDES—Headed by Ernest H. Poteet, who was named superintendent of the Mercedes public schools for the fourteenth consecutive year, 50 teachers of the local system were re-elected for the coming year. The educational system of Mercedes has gaind state-wide recognition and has experienced its greatest era of prograss under the leadership of Poteet.

Those who received contracts for next year are: Leon R. Graham, principal of senior and junior high; W. Edward Perry, principal of South Ward school; Wm. O'Hair, principal of North school; Mrs. Louie N. Shepperd, principal of Heidelburg; Miss Mildred Thames, director of cafeteria; Miss Louis Bell, mathematics; Mrs. Merle Blankenship, language arts; Mrs. Maymie Bryson, social studies; Miss Virginia Butler, Spanish; R. B. Caldwell, science and M. D.

Paul C. Campbell, Miss Amy Cornish, William Dudley, Miss Ruth Erwin, W. T. Gootch, Miss Leona Hawkins, Miss Margaret Malatt, Miss Maurine Phillips, T. Leroy Phillips, L. Schmalzried, F. O. Scroggins, Robert Taylor, Mrs. Kathryn Thompson, Miss Elizabeth Tidmore, Miss Alma Whatley.

Mrs. Bert Day, Mrs. Marcella Gooch, Miss Ala Mae Hudson, Mrs. Lellah Hood Lyle, Mrs. Leah Perry, Miss Wilma Lee Pope, Mrs. L. N. Rice, Mrs. Ray Trousdale, Miss Annalee Williams, Miss Grace Wright.

Mrs. Ruth Adams, Miss Edith Dilling, Miss Margaret Edwards, Miss Margaret Edwards, Miss Jacqueline Johnson, Adron Ming, Miss Beatrice Moye, Mrs. Lorene O'Hair, Miss Virginia Pile, Mrs. Sarah R. Ramsey, Miss Evelyn Roffe, Miss Marjorie Rogers, Miss Helen T. Stotler, Miss Annie C. Verser, Miss Ruth Eaton.

Miss Dorothy Costin, Miss Jane Didick, Miss Flossie Board, and Mrs. Thelma Council received contracts, but have made other arrangements for next year.

School board members who named the 1940-41 faculty are R. H. Kern, president; Nix Harrington, vice-president; Fred Johnston, secretary; J. R. Barry, B. F. Byers, Walter Hoekstra, and J. B. Taylor.

U. S. Aliens Claim Entry Was Fear Of Mexico Revolution

SAN DIEGO, Calif.—(AP)—Mexicans sentenced here for illegal entry into the United States were quoted by federal officers as being motivated in their rush across the international boundary by fear of revolution in their country.

Court Baliffs Guy Lidstone and Charles J. Irwin said that many of the 80 Mexicans who received jail sentences ranging up to four months, asserted that as soon as their terms were served and after their deportation to their homeland, they would try again to return to the United States.

Texas oilmen pay the entire cost of schooling for one-fourth the school children of Texas.

QUEEN



Miss Louise Bookout (above) was crowned Queen of Sports Friday night at the fifth annual sports coronation held at Santa Rosa's high school. (Staff Photo.)

Rail Warrants Plan Is Refused By ICC

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Interstate Commerce Commission refused Saturday to modify its plan of reorganization for the Missouri Pacific Railroad and subsidiary companies to provide for participation of present stockholders.

The road had petitioned for modification of the plan to include issuance of warrants entitling present preferred and common stockholders to subscribe for common stock of the new company.

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CULBERSON RALLY

HILLSBORO—(AP)—Hill county business and civic leaders plan to break crowd records May 4 with a a Culberson Day political rally honoring their former county judge, Olin Culberson, a candidate for the railroad commission.

New Cars Top Sales

DETROIT—(AP)—The Automobile Manufacturers Association reported Saturday that March retail sales of new passenger cars and trucks totaled 398,365 units, an increase of 20 per cent over the same unit a year ago.

McALLEN HOSPITAL PATIENTS

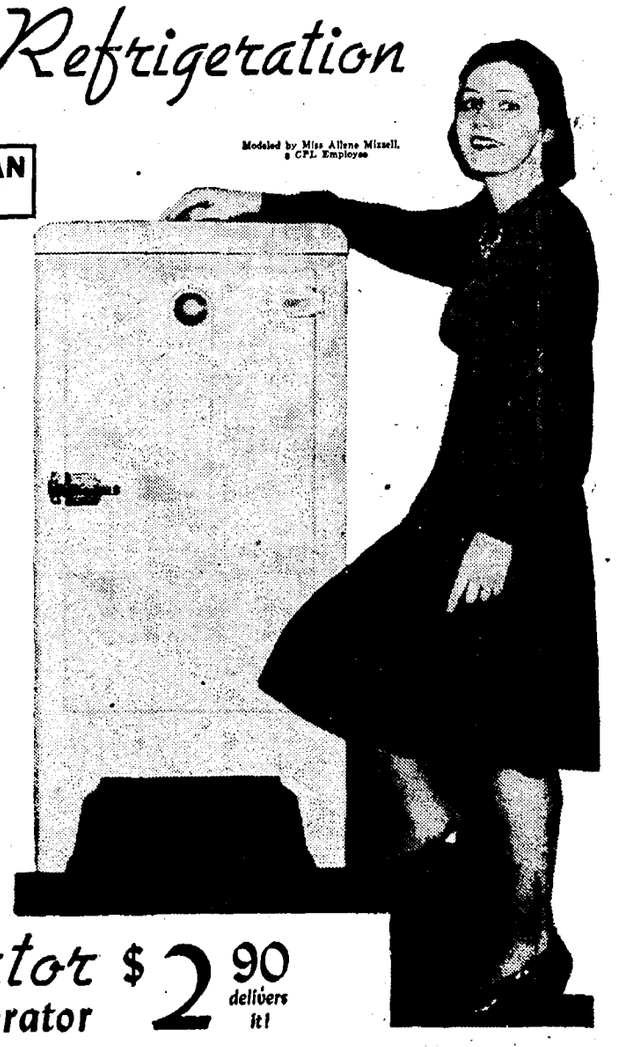
McALLEN—Among the patients admitted to City Hospital Saturday were: A. T. Moore, Mary Evelyn Olson, McAllen; Jeanette Vandenbark, Alamo; Mrs. Raymond Reeves, San Juan. Dismissed were Mrs. Fred Edwards and baby of McAllen.

Extra Session Call Urged By Thompson

AUSTIN—(AP)—Railroad Commissioner Ernest O. Thompson sent another letter to Governor W. Lee O'Daniel Saturday urging him to call a special session of the legislature for social security financing.

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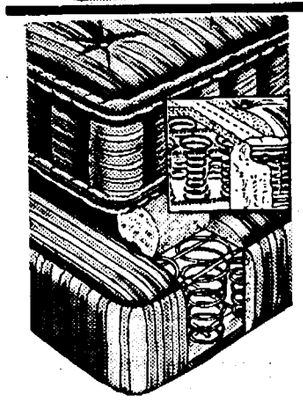
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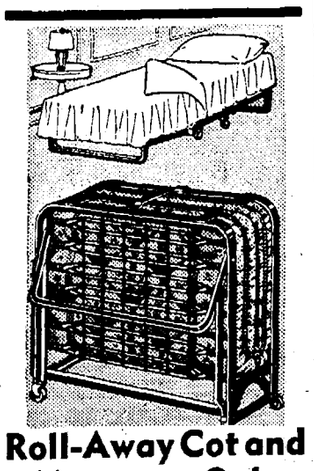
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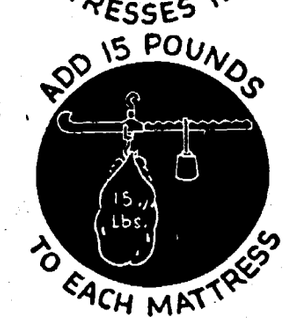


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SUNDAY, APRIL 21, 1940



Mrs. F. W. Youree of Corpus Christi, announced the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss Laura Katherine Youree, to W. H. Putegnat of Brownsville. The rites will be celebrated in Corpus Christi May 3. Miss Youree is a popular member of the Valley's younger set, as she has visited here frequently. Mr. Putegnat, a grandson of Mrs. J. R. Burton of Brownsville, is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Putegnat.

McFarlen-Nuckols Rites Celebrated In Setting Of Garden-Like Beauty

BROWNSVILLE — A garden-like setting provided the background for nuptial rites of Miss Billie Earlean Nuckols, only daughter of Mrs. Pearl Nuckols of Brownsville and Gainesville, to Michael Henry McFarlen, son of Mrs. W. J. McFarlen of Mertens.

The ceremony was read Thursday evening at 7 o'clock in the First Baptist Church, by the pastor, Dr. Charles S. Pierce. Filling the altar space were potted palms and other ornamental shrubs, and lighting the scene were myriads of cathedral tapers in floor candelabra of wrought iron. The couple pledged their vows beneath an arch of white lattice, interwined with lace fern and pink and white roses.

Arthur C. Hipp gave his niece in marriage. She was exquisite in a gown of white silk marquisette, made with a fitted bodice, sweetheart neckline outlined with white silk lace, and long, fitted sleeves finished with the lace. The lace was used on the skirt too, in bands, giving a flounced effect, and finishing the edge, which swept into a long train at the back. Her veil was of illusion, fingertip length, and caught to the head in halo effect, with the halo being outlined with real orange blossoms. Her flowers were orchids and bouvardia, tied with white satin ribbons. As a touch of sentiment, she carried her mother's wedding handkerchief of hand-drawn linen lace.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Harvey E. Nuckols as matron of honor, and by Misses Inez Brulay, Mary Patrick, Virginia Runyon, Lenore Yturria, Marilyn McAskill of Edinburg, and Bernice Kowalski, as bridesmaids, and by her cousin, Arthora Hipp, and Lucila Cisneros, as junior bridesmaids. The bridesmaids were gowned alike in frocks of white, and carried bouquets of red roses tied with white satin ribbons. The gowns had fitted bodices of white lace, made with short, puffed sleeves, and the sweetheart neckline, with the bodices ending in long points back and front over the extremely full skirts of white net. Tiny fitted caps of white net created the illusion of Dutch caps with the wide flat bow of white illusion at the back. The capes were topped with tiny nosegays of the red roses, with the exception of the matron of honor's cap, which was topped with white rose buds to match her bouquet of white roses, tied with red satin.

Best man to the groom was Louis C. Skipper, and groomsmen were Jack Majors, Emmett Bristow, Tom Barber, Charlo Jackson, Buddy James, and Harvey E. Nuckols, the bride's brother.

Kent Stratford at the organ played the traditional wedding marches for the processional and recessional, and before the ceremony played Schubert's Ave Maria, and Air, by Giordoni. He also played the accompaniment for Miss Elizabeth Canales who sang the pre-nuptial solo, Because, by d'Hardelot. Miss Canales' gown was identical with the bridesmaids, and she wore a corsage of red carnations. During the

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Betrothal Announced In Abilene

ABILENE—In Abilene today announcement is being made of one of the most important betrothals of the year, the engagement of Miss Patty Hanks, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Hanks, and Andrew Brackett Shelton, only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Shelton of Harlingen. The wedding will take place June 8, in a garden setting at the Hanks home, 898 Sayles boulevard, Abilene.

The romance of this young couple began when they were freshman students in Hardin-Simmons University.

Popular member of Abilene's younger set, Miss Hanks is a granddaughter of two pioneer West Texas families. Her maternal grandfather was the late Dr. L. W. Hollis, physician and surgeon, and her paternal grandfather, the late Rev. R. T. Hanks, who served as pastor of Abilene's First Baptist church in the early nineties.

The bride-elect's father is publisher of the Abilene Reporter-News and is intrested in newspapers in several other Texas cities.

After her graduation from Hardin-Simmons, Miss Hanks spent one summer in European travel, and in the summer of 1939 made a North Cape-Baltic cruise, visiting a number of towns which are now in the Scandinavian war zone.

Numerous parties are being planned in honor of Miss Hanks, first in the series to be held today when 26 of her young friends will be brought together for tea at the home of Mrs. R. L. Faucett, Monday at the Woman's Club, Mrs. Roscoe F. St. John will entertain 170 guests at a formal tea. Wednesday morning, Mrs. Fred W. Frost and daughter, June, will be hostesses for a coffee.

With arrival here in early June of Mr. Shelton, the party series will reach a climax in a round of affairs in which he will share honors with his bride-to-be.

Recent Bride Is Honored Guest At Tea

McALLEN — To honor a recent bride, Mrs. Bob Johnson, and Miss Effie Galbreath of Lyford, Misses Erma and Nora Wilmer, entertained about 45 of their friends at a tea at their home this week.

Mrs. Bob Johnson, a resident of Edcouch, is the former Miss Edith Lester.

Floor baskets of vari-colored gladioli decorated the hallway and the reception room where Mrs. Albert Hughes of Edcouch, Mrs. Robert Brough of Mission, Miss Herbert Senf and Miss Nora Wilmer received the guests.

Tea was served in the dining room where the table was centered with a colorful arrangement, using nasturtiums and blue larkspur. The centerpiece was flanked by two candles. The same floral color combination was repeated elsewhere in the dining room.

Mrs. A. T. Ray served the iced pudding with Mrs. Ida Mae Leach and Miss Erma Wilmer presiding at the tea services. The honored guests and hostesses were former college friends.

Mrs. Baker Hostess To Twin-City Club

HARLINGEN — The Twin City Rook Club met at the home of Mrs. L. O. Baker Wednesday when a covered dish luncheon was served. Prize awards went to Mrs. Fred Houghtling for high and Mrs. Lula Palmer for low and Mrs. Philip Barnhart received the guest prize.

Out of club guests were Miss Ella Mae Pope, Mesdames Philip Barnhart, Lula Palmer, and B. J. Wagner.

Members attending included Mesdames A. A. Herndon, Aline Dodson, C. E. Turvey, Marie Byrd, A. W. Elmore, C. M. Koch, Fred Houghtling, W. E. Williamson, and L. O. Baker.

Leaders Honored With Luncheon

MISSION—Mrs. J. B. Challes of Harlingen and Mrs. O. O. West of McAllen were honorees for a luncheon Thursday at the Cactus Tea Room when officers of the Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary entertained. The courtesy followed a training school for officers which the two visitors conducted during the morning at the church. Mrs. Challes is district chairman of Presbyterian women's work and Mrs. West, immediate past chairman

Federation Meets

BROWNSVILLE—Members of the Brownsville Federation of Women's clubs will meet Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for the regular monthly meeting at the First Presbyterian church.



Miss Frances Phillips, pictured at the upper right, is among the San Benito girl graduates sharing in the especially attractive round of pre-commencement courtesies. She is an honor student, having been named as valedictorian of her class. She is the daughter of Mrs. Frank T. Phillips of San Benito. (Teege Photo)

Mr. and Mrs. Ben T. Ezzell of Harlingen announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Frances, (presented in the center picture) to James L. McMillan of Pecos, son of Mrs. Lula L. McMillan of Thorndale, Texas. The weding will take place in early June. (Photo by Holbrook)

Extreme Simplicity To Mark Early Sunday Wedding Uniting Pair Widely Known In Valley

Helen Sumners To Become Bride Of Lenear McCall In Ceremony To Be Read Today

HARLINGEN — At 9:30 o'clock this morning at the family home, 101 Rio Hondo Road, Miss Helen Degge Sumners, youngest daughter of Mrs. Martha Florence Sumners, and Robert Lenear McCall of Corpus Christi, son of Mrs. W. B. McCall of San Benito, will pledge their marriage vows in a ceremony distinguished by extreme simplicity. Both are members of prominent pioneer families and their wedding is claiming the affectionate interest of an especially wide circle of friends. Lending added significance to the rites is the fact that the couple chose for their nuptial date the wedding anniversary of the bride's parents.

Stately white lilies, white gladiolas, and orange blossoms arranged throughout the home, have been massed at the fireplace to simulate an altar. Reflection of the pretty scene is held in the huge mirror above the mantel while at either side are floor candelabra with tall white tapers glowing above pedestal baskets filled with the long-stemmed white blossoms. Many other lighted candles about the living and music rooms accent the dignity and beauty that will attend the simple rites.

The double ring ceremony is to be used with Rev. Bolton Boone, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiating.

Preceding the ceremony Miss Elizabeth Challes will play Gounod's "Ave Maria" as a piano solo. The bride will enter with her brother, Dave Schuepbach, to the traditional melody of Wagner's "Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin. As the couple speak their vows, Miss Challes will play the muted strains of Cadman's "To a Wild Rose."

Miss Mary Jo Dunlap of La Feria is Miss Sumner's only attendant. Miss Dunlap's costume is a street

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Club Bases Study On Housecleaning

SEBASTIAN—Mrs. Elnore Watson and Mrs. Chesley McGothin were hostesses at the regular meeting of the Woman's Club Friday afternoon.

Roll call was answered by achievements. The program on "House Cleaning Made Easier" was by Mrs. Preston Densman.

Guest From Chicago

HARLINGEN — Mrs. R. B. Fuessle of Chicago arrived Friday for a visit with her brother, Frank Grimsell, and Mrs. Grimsell, 122 E. Lee Street. Mrs. Fuessle has just concluded a tour of the flower trails of the south being accompanied by her daughter as far as New Orleans.

Miss Dolores Stephens received a double set of honors recently, having been selected by the faculty of the Raymondville high school as representative to the D. A. R. pilgrimage to Washington. She was also selected by members of her class to represent them at the Sweetheart Dance held last weekend in Edinburg. Miss Stephens, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stephens of Raymondville, is a musician of considerable ability. (Photo by Holbrook)

Visit Taylors

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Patterson of Devine, Medina county, have been house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Volney W. Taylor at Quinta la Paz. Mr. Patterson was delegate to the Presbytery meeting from the Presbyterian church at Natalia.

TO MINNESOTA

COMBES—Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Reiff have departed for Minnesota where they expect to remain six months. They will stop in St. Louis en route.

Coterie Bridge Club Meets In Mercedes

MERCEDES—The Coterie Bridge Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. M. Joyce. The rooms were decorated with retama for the games which terminated with Mrs. Ben Tucker winning the high score prize.

A dessert course was served to Mesdames Tucker, P. W. Perkins, W. J. Copeland, Fred Brooks, Harold Stuart, E. H. Poteet and John Herndon.

Valley Women's Clubs Are To Convene In San Benito Tuesday

Attendance Expected To Exceed 350 For Day; Address Is Highlight

Waco Editor To Describe Impressions In Polish Capital On Eve Of Invasion

SAN BENITO—Frank Baldwin, Waco, editor will be the principal speaker for the 53rd semi-annual meeting of the Valley Federation of Women's Clubs to be held Tuesday, April 23, at the First Methodist Church. Mr. Baldwin's address "The Patch Quilt of Europe," will be presented during the afternoon session before the presentation of the long list of prize awards that will conclude the formal session. Anyone interested is invited to hear Mr. Baldwin's talk. About 350 women are expected for the convention.

After the convention ends a tea will be given by the six San Benito hostess clubs at the library honoring convention delegates and visitors. Luncheon will be served in the Methodist and Baptist church dining rooms and at the Stonewall Jackson Hotel. Special tables have been planned for the juniors and for art league members at the hotel.

Junior reservations should be sent to Mrs. Fred Booth, San Benito. Mrs. L. W. Pratt, luncheon chairman, is in charge of all other reservations.

Program for the day, arranged by Mrs. O. L. Byrd, local chairman, will be as follows:

Call to order.

Invocation—Dr. L. J. Rode, pastor Methodist church, San Benito.

Reading of minutes.

Report of officers: President, Mrs. O. E. Stuart, Harlingen; First Vice President, Mrs. O. L. Byrd, San Benito; Second Vice President, Mrs. Eugene N. Catlett, McAllen; Third Vice President, Mrs. Henry Lauderdale, Mercedes; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. E. Q. Farris, Mercedes; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Ruth Wyland, La Feria; Parliamentarian, Mrs. Volney Taylor, Brownsville.

Report of Committee Chairmen: Program, Mrs. Florence Scott, Rio Grande City; Publicity, Mrs. W. F. Gilbert, San Benito; Constitution and By Laws, Mrs. Lamar Gill, Raymondville; Historian, Mrs. Percy Herman, McAllen; Librarian, Mrs. John Prentiss, San Benito; Memorial, Mrs. Carl Schwedes, Weslaco; Educational Loan Fund, Mrs. J. J. Murray, Harlingen; Educational Loan Treasurer, Mrs. Henry Lauderdale, Mercedes.

Assembly Singing: "America," "Our Valley Home", Leader, Mrs. Orville Cox, McAllen; Accompanist, Mrs. E. R. Kennedy, San Benito.

Introduction of guests: Mrs. E. S. Lammers, Alamo, Hospitality Chairman, Mrs. Frank Baldwin, Waco, Mrs. L. J. Smith, Kingsville, Mrs. Volney Taylor, past president, Texas Federation Women's Clubs, Mrs. Percy Herman, first vice-president, Fifth District.

Report of department chairmen: Civic, Mrs. J. G. Perkins, Brownsville. Home Demonstration, Mrs. M. M. Walden, Mission.

Report of Art Chairman: Mrs. Clair Packer, Harlingen. Report of Art Clubs.

Report of Literary Chairman: Mrs. Floyd Langford, Mercedes. Report of Literary Clubs. Report of 5th District meeting, Mrs. Paul Greenwood, Harlingen.

Report of Junior Chairman: Mrs. Fred Booth, San Benito, Report of Junior clubs.

"Better Valley" Symposium: "Reducing Traffic Fatalities in Valley Grande," Capt. Glenn Rose, Harlingen, Texas Highway Patrol; "Tourism—A Growing Industry in The Valley," S. M. Patterson, Mission, president Valley Secretaries Association; "Voting—The First Step in Good Citizenship," Mrs. Florence Scott, Chairman American Citizenship Committee, Texas Federation Women's Clubs; "Public Health—Cancer Control in South Texas and the Valley," Dr. Dudley Jackson, San Antonio.

NOON

Luncheons at Methodist and Baptist Churches.

Art Exhibit, Methodist Church.

Junior luncheon program, Stonewall Jackson Hotel.

Theme, "Valleyana", (2 minute talks): Presiding, Mrs. Fred Booth, Junior Chairman; "Charro Days," Mrs. Jack Wiech, Jr., Self Culture Club, Brownsville; "Armistice Week," Mrs. Leonard March, Jr., Culture Club, San Benito; "Valley Mid Winter Fair," Mrs. Norman Clark, Afflatus Club, Harlingen; "Weslaco Birthday Party and Flower Show," Junior Literary Review Club, Weslaco; "Pioneer Days," Diversity Club, Rio Grande City; "The Bougainvillea Trail," Mrs. Gray McCullah, Jr., Study Club, Harlingen; "Fine Arts in the Valley," San Juan Junior Music and Dramatic Art Club, San Juan; "Public Libraries," Miss Ruth Thornton, Sorosis Club, La Feria; "Traffic Control," Bonnye Ruth Whitworth, Jr., Fine Arts, Harlingen.

AFTERNOON

One Thirty O'Clock

Report of Music Chairman: Mrs. Orville I. Cox, McAllen. Report of Music Clubs.

Organ and piano duet, "Grand Aria," Demarest, Mrs. H. V. Gordon, San Benito, Mrs. A. J. Moore, San Benito.

Address: "The Practical Use of Art and Artistic Principles in the Home," Mrs. L. J. Smith, Kingsville.

Brief talk: "Country Libraries," Dorothy Journey, Texas Library Association, Austin.

Music: A Cappella Choir presented by Edward Hatchett, director of music, San Benito High School.

Address: "The Patch Quilt of Europe," Frank Baldwin, editor Waco News-Tribune Herald, Waco, Texas. Questions from floor.

New business.

Announcements.

Report of Resolution Chairman, Mrs. Charles E. Thompson, Edinburg.

Prize awards to be made immediately before the close of the afternoon session include:

Prize given by Mrs. Leon Brown Mission, for best delivered report without manuscript.

Effa Stark Sanders Art Award given by Mrs. Clair Packer, Harlingen.

Art award given to literary or civic club having the best planned program on art given by Mrs. Clair Packer, Harlingen.

Prize for junior club showing the most achievement given by former junior chairman, Miss Lila Dyer, La Feria.

Prize for junior club having largest attendance at junior luncheon given by former junior chairman, Miss Ruth Voight, Sinton.

Award for best program on American folk music to be given by Mrs. Orville I. Cox, McAllen.

Prize for best year book given by Mrs. Floyd Langford, Mercedes.

Third annual presentation of Valley Morning Star silver bowl award by Minnie Gilbert.

Report of credentials chairman, Mrs. R. A. Dennison, Weslaco, and benediction by Mrs. E. C. Phillips, Pharr, chaplain, will end the session.



Presidents of the six hostess clubs for the meeting of the Valley Federation in San Benito Tuesday are presented in the photo above as follows: Mrs. L. W. Pratt, What to Read Club, Mrs. Charles E. Barber, Women's Culture Club, Mrs. Charles Robinson, Learners Club, Mrs. J. E. Thompson, Athenian Club, Mrs. Neely Newman, Junior Culture Club, and Mrs. R. J. Bohner, Aurora Club. (Photo by Holbrook)

Junior Service League Dance At McAllen Draws 200 Valley Couples

McALLEN—Under a semi-tropical Valley moon, 200 couples thronged the Casa de Palmas Hotel patio and air-conditioned Spanish Room Friday night to enjoy the Junior Service League's annual spring dance.

Dancers danced for a worthy cause, since all proceeds went to the McAllen Child's Clinic, one of the outstanding League's projects, undertaken about a month ago.

Mack Rogers and his band from San Antonio played from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. while a constant whirl of dancers provided bright spots of color in the moonlit patio.

Brilliantly colored bouquets of retama banked the orchestra pit whose background was a mass of potted palms. In urns, baskets and vases elsewhere in the patio were large bouquets of snapdragons and roses mingling with the blossoming retama branches.

The women's frocks provided the rest of the picture for one of the most successful events ever staged by the League.

The dance was the final note on a two-event social calendar for which the League was hostess this week. Thursday the members entertained over 100 women at a coffee at the hotel. After enjoying the coffee the guests were taken on a tour of inspection of their community house, another of their worthwhile projects, where weekly on Saturdays underprivileged children of the city are taught sewing, cooking and handicraft.

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model in heaven blue silk jersey. Her accessories are navy and her corsage is fashioned of iris and sweetheart roses.

The bride is wearing a smart spring redingote, the dress being of navy and white silk print worn with a light coat of navy wool. Her accessories are navy and she will carry a handmade handkerchief of point lace which her sisters carried at their weddings. Gardenias and orange blossoms form her corsage.

Attendant for the bridegroom will be his brother, Ware McCall of San Benito.

Only members of the families and a few close friends will be present for the ceremony and the wedding breakfast. Bridal white is repeated in the table, the chosen blossoms being used for centerpiece and the tiered cake made in the shape of a wedding ring embossed in white. Mrs. C. W. G. Stevenson of Toronto, Canada, sister of the bride, will pour coffee and Mrs. William Bishop Clements of Edinburg, sister of the bridegroom, will serve the cake. Assisting in the dining room will be Miss Josephine Rodgers, Miss Ida Campbell, and Mrs. E. C. Daniels, Houston.

Miss Frances Kaufman is to have charge of the guest book.

The couple will leave shortly after the ceremony for a wedding trip to Monterrey and other points in Mexico. They will establish a home in Corpus Christi where Mr. McCall has been in business the past few years.

The bride, a favorite with the younger social set of the Lower Valley, attended Southern Methodist University in Dallas and is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority. Her family has resided in Harlingen 21 years.

Out of town guests for the wedding included Mrs. C. W. G. Stevenson of Toronto, Canada, sister of the bride; her aunts, Mrs. C. L. Joyce, Mrs. J. W. Halsell, and Mrs. C. A. Reed of Dallas, and Mrs. H. W. Jones of Garland; Miss Mareta Joyce of Dallas, a cousin; Mrs. E. C. Daniels of Houston, Miss Josephine Rodgers of Corpus Christi, Miss Angela Murray of San Antonio, and Mrs. Everett Love of Laredo, sister of the bridegroom, and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Lovelady of Corpus Christi.

Convention Events Told

HARLINGEN—Resume of events of the annual convention of the Texas Federation of Garden clubs held recently in Temple and round-table discussion of seasonal gardening practices occupied Garden Club members at their Thursday meeting. Highlights of the state meet were reported by Mesdames O. E. Stuart, Charles Simmons, H. E. Day, and J. W. Wade. Mrs. N. B. Lackland, who also attended the conclave, is out of the city.

Next state meeting is to be held in the Valley with the assembly meetings of the federation in Harlingen.

Delegates were named to the Valley Federation of Women's club meeting in San Benito Tuesday as follows: Msdames H. C. Ware, Marie Grapperhaus, and W. E. McWilliams. Alternates are Mesdames George Crum, A. J. Pollard and May Foster.

Work meetings to complete costumes the club is making for the junior high school May fete were discussed and it was voted to ask mothers of children participating to assist with the handwork. Mothers and others who can help are asked to meet at the home of Mrs. O. E. Stuart, club president, in the evenings or to make arrangements by phoning her at 1191.

Calendar

McALLEN

MONDAY

8:00 a.m. Miss Sara Chidlow will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

3:00 p.m. The McAllen Literary Club will meet with Mrs. O. O. West.

2:00 p.m. The Rio Grande Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will have their annual guest night dinner at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

8:00 p.m. An obligation service will feature the meeting of the McAllen chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star at the Masonic Temple.

Tuesday

8:00 p.m. Mss Elizabeth Anderson will be hostess for the Nu Phi Mu sorority meeting.

8:00 p.m. The McAllen Business and Professional Women's Club will meet for dinner at the Casa de Palmas Hotel. Mrs. Zeldo Haston is in charge of the program.

WEDNESDAY

8:00 a.m. Mrs. C. J. Cochrane will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

1:00 p.m. Chapter F, P.E.O., will meet for a box luncheon at the home of Miss Leta Schwingel.

3:00 p.m. Mrs. H. B. Glendenning will be hostess for the McAllen Study Club.

FRIDAY

8:00 a.m. Mrs. Charles Herndon will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

12 noon Members of the Valley Matrons Club will meet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel for luncheon.

3:00 p.m. Mrs. W. Southwell will be hostess to the Priscilla Club.

SATURDAY

Junior Service League members will work at the Community House include: Mesdames J. K. Boettger, H. Roy Graham, Harry Pederson, Robert Elmore and Miss Sara Chidlow.

Mrs. Nuckols Goes

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Pearl Nuckols returned Friday morning to Gainesville after spending the past two days here while she attended the wedding of her daughter, Miss Billie Nuckols to Michael Henry McFarlen.

To Salvador

BROWNSVILLE—Louis C. Skipper returned Friday morning to San Salvador where he is stationed temporarily, after spending the past several days here. He was best man in the McFarlen-Nuckols wedding Thursday.

Tea Shower Prenuptial Courtesy

HARLINGEN—Adding another to the series of prenuptial hospitalities honoring Miss Virginia Hamner, Misses Marian Barg and Margaret Hagedorn of San Benito entertained with a tea shower Saturday from four to six o'clock at 122 E. Lee Street in Harlingen. Lovely roses were used throughout the rooms.

The honoree, dressed in all white, and the hostesses, Miss Barg in a frock of soft blue cotton sheer and Miss Hagedorn in white linen, received the guests. Their corsages and those worn by members of the house party were of varicolored sweetpeas.

Roses and white gladiolus were combined in a lovely arrangement to center the refreshment table which was lighted by white tapers in crystal holders. Tea dainties repeated the pink and white theme.

Miss Mahala Hamner, sister of the honoree, was in charge of the attractive guest book. The many attractive shower gifts were displayed on tables in the sunroom where roses lent added charm.

Assisting in hostess duties during the hours of receiving from four to six o'clock, were Misses Ivey Boone, Lillian McInnis, Ida Ruth King, Irene Peek, and Louise White, and Mrs. George Beck. Guests numbered about one hundred.

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ceremony, Mr. Stratford played very softly Liebestraum, by Liszt.

The bride's mother, who arrived Wednesday for the ceremony from Gainsville, was especially handsome in a gown of aqua blue chiffon. The bride's grandmother, Mrs. W. D. McBryde, wore white crepe. Mrs. McFarlen, mother of the groom wore a becoming gown of pale pink lace, and Mrs. R. C. Chandler of San Angelo, sister of the groom, wore chartreuse lace. Mrs. Hipp was in white starched lace. All wore pretty corsages in the spring shades.

Immediately following the wedding there was a reception at the home of the bride. Here the pink roses and fern had been banked along the mantel in the living room.

The bride cut the first slice of the cake, which was a huge, square confection in five graduated tiers, centering the table in the dining room. The cake was topped with a miniature bride and groom standing beneath an arch of flowers, and was embossed with roses and calla lilies, and lovebirds in the bridal motif. Mrs. Hipp served the cake.

Assisting about the home were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McCormick, Dr. and Mrs. Roy F. Breeden, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert D. Seago, and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. McFarlen left soon afterwards for a motor trip to New Orleans, Louisiana, and a leisurely tour up the east coast to New York. Upon their return in a month, they will be at home in the Snoeberger apartments on the Military road.

Mrs. McFarlen is traveling in a frock of navy blue triple sheer made on princess lines, with the collar of white being made of embroidered batiste and lace. The costume is completed with a coat of light-weight navy wool, made also on princess lines, and finished with collars and cuffs of white embroidery. Her accessories were of azalea rose, and she wore orchids in corsage.

Meeting To Claim Special Interest

HARLINGEN—Report of the recent conference will be held at the meeting of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service Tuesday at 3 p.m. at the church. Also promising particular interest will be the guest group of Junior Americans, a project sponsored by one of the circle groups.

Honored



Mrs. Howard Parsons was honored recently by members of the Brownsville Business and Professional Women's club when they presented her with a farewell gift. Mrs. Parsons, who has been an active member of the club, leaves Brownsville in May with Mr. Parsons for Muskegon and Ann Arbor Michigan. The pair will make their home in Ann Arbor.

Vows Are Spoken By Valley Couple In Sunday Rites

HARLINGEN — Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mooney announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Noveliene May, to Clayton Wilder, the ceremony taking place Sunday at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hencerling, 103 E. Wilson Street in Finwood Heights. Rev. E. A. Wolf, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, performed the ceremony.

Miss Inell Rushing attended the bride and M. Smith of McAllen was best man for Mr. Wilder.

For her wedding Miss May wore a smart street frock in dusty rose, the bodice being made of all-over lace. Her corsage was of sweetheart roses and her accessories were white.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Maddy, Raymondville, Pat Rodgers, Brownsville, and Shorty Jackson, McAllen, and Eddie Hencerling, Miss Carrie Reed, Wayne Reed, Harlingen.

Attend Music Meet

ALAMO—Among Valley women attending the annual convention of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs at Waco at the weekend are Mrs. J. S. Roe, Alamo, and Mrs. Orville I. Cox, McAllen. Mrs. Roe is president of the Eighth District of the state association which embraces the Valley area. Mrs. Cox was elected state recording secretary at the Waco meeting.

Recent Bride Honor Guest In McAllen

McALLEN—Three hostesses honored Mrs. Flo Westfall, the former Miss Jari Nelson, with a coffee and linen shower Thursday morning.

Hostesses were Mrs. Lloyd Bentsen, Mrs. Elmer Bentsen and Mrs. R. L. Delp.

The shower, attended by a number of the bride's close friends, was given at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Bentsen.

Preceding the presentation of a score of lovely gifts to the new bride was a brief program during which Betty Bentsen gave a reading and Miss Doris Leffler sang several nuptial songs, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Elmer Bentsen.

The honored guest was presented her gifts in a large colored parasol by young Betty Bentsen.

Sentiment surrounded the coffee table service used for the occasion. Mrs. Westfall's father, J. C. Nelson, was the donor of the china which was used as serving plates. The dishes which had been given Mrs. Lloyd Bentsen by Mrs. Nelson had been used by every president of the United States from the time of Abraham Lincoln to Warren G. Harding. The egg-shell thin china is beautifully embossed with gold.

Mrs. Peter Bentsen poured while Mrs. Nolie Nelson, Mrs. Westfall's aunt, served the large two-tiered embossed bridal cake which was surrounded by a circle of pink rosebuds. The same flowers centered the coffee table. Elsewhere in the house gladioli were used.

Among those present were Mrs. M. Brewer, Mrs. Alton Bentsen, Mrs. A. A. Bentsen, Mrs. Peter Bentsen, Mrs. Roy Sloan, Mrs. Pierre Tartoue, Mrs. Lawrence Slavata, Mrs. Nolie Nelson, Mrs. Weden, Mrs. N. E. Buescher, Mrs. Jack Harrop, Mrs. Clark Norton, Miss Duke, Miss Leffler and Miss Lucille Smitham besides the honored guest and hostesses.

Mrs. F. R. George Entertains Club

MERCEDES—Mrs. F. R. George was hostess to her Crystal Bridge Club at her home Wednesday afternoon. In games of contract Mrs. Dewey Acker received the club prize.

A sweet sourse was served to the guests, Mrs. Tommye Steer, Mrs. T. J. Rippert and to members, Mesdames E. Q. Farris, C. J. LeBlanc, W. R. Hoover, H. L. Schmalzried, and Woody Tullis.

Officers Elected By Mercedes Club

MERCEDES — Mrs. Leah Perr was re-elected president, Mrs. Arti Sugg, vice-president, and Mrs. Myrtle Lee, secretary of the Business and Professional Women's Club Tuesday night at the apartment of Mrs. Fern Guardia. The newly named treasurer is Mrs. Edna Ferrier.

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DAR To Have Guest Night

McALLEN—Superintendent R. P. Ward of the Edinburg Junior College will be the principal speaker Monday night when members of the Rio Grande Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution hold their annual guest night dinner at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

Supt. Ward will speak on the "Continued Cultural Revolution in America" for the dinner at which husbands of the members will be honored guests.

Also scheduled to appear on the program are Miss Mary Virginia Polk and Miss Daisy Ellen Polk, both of Pharr, will perform with piano and vocal selections respectively.

Those who plan to attend the dinner are asked to make their reservations at the hotel before noon Monday.

Ramseys Away

LOS FRESNOS — Rev. and Mrs. Bradford Ramsey are away for a ten days revival meeting at La Ward where Rev. Ramsey's father is pastor of the Baptist church.

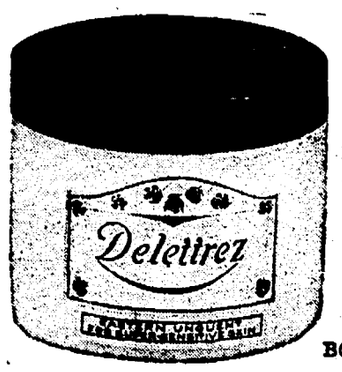
Valley Hotel News

Walter (Curly) Bryan, clerk at the Cortez Hotel in Weslaco has acquired a baby bob-cat, answering to the name of 'Nick.' Nick enjoys riding on the elevator at the Cortez, but last week he was cured for once and for all. He fell through the shaft, four floors and into the basement. When fished out, it was found he suffered only a broken leg. Rushed to a doctor (an M.D. at that) Nick was bustled into a plaster cast and now hobbles around on three legs, and doing quite well, thank you. Nick had his picture taken and Ripley is going to hear of his spectacular fall.

The Arizonans, harmony trio appearing nightly at the Cabana, the Valley's ultra-smart night club, have been dubbed the "Sarahzonians," due to their excellent rendition of that popular tune, "Sarah." Bob Smith, the singing bartender, and the 'Sarahzonians" have worked up a novelty number, using a number of bottles to pick out a tune with. Bob Smith says he's got some new sheet music and has learned some late numbers.

Mrs. Dee, manager of the Donna Hotel had some visitors from Kansas City last week. A number of hotel men dropped in on her, and meticulous Mrs. Dee was caught in a house dress. "I didn't even have time to put on my Sunday 'black'," Mrs. Dee apologized. But with all the remodelling going on at the Donna, its a wonder Mrs. Dee wasn't caught in a pair of overalls—which she admits furtively, that she has. The Donna Hotel is going to have a new coffee shop, seating some 30 to 40 patrons. —Adv.

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At Home Compliments Two Clubs

Mrs. L. R. Wasson Hostess Saturday

SAN BENITO — A delightfully informal courtesy of the weekend was at the home arranged Saturday at four o'clock by Mrs. Leon R. Wasson at her country home. Mrs. Wasson, who is an honorary member of the Aurora Club, having served as sponsor, invited as her guests members of the Aurora club and of the Junior Fine Arts Club of Harlingen.

Yellow retama blossoms accented by the vivid orange of pomegranate blooms made bright color harmony in the reception rooms which were also decorated with lillies from the hostess' garden.

Introduction of guests through a unique "census taking" skit was followed by the awarding of prizes for the most clever "census" report and the doghouse for those refusing to answer queries.

The hostess presented a wooden binder to the secretary of each club to hold the organization's record book. Ice cream pies and tarts were served in the dining room and plate favors were nosegays of spring flowers. Punch was served throughout the afternoon in the living room.

Assisting Mrs. Wasson in hostess duties were her daughter, Mrs. Art Huddleston of Harlingen, and Mrs. Robert S. Bone.

Concert Set In San Benito

SAN BENITO—Presentation of a concert of Indian love songs, all compositions by Thurlow Lieurance will highlight Music Week observance in San Benito which is to be sponsored by the San Benito Music Club, Mrs. Charles Pester is president of the club.

The club's chorus, directed by Mrs. H. V. Gordon, is holding rehearsals regularly for the concert to be given Monday, May 6, at 8 p.m. in the First Methodist Church. Mrs. H. V. Neely will be at the piano and Mrs. A. J. Moore at the pipe organ. Supplementing the chorus and accompanists will be flute and violin obbdligatos played by young music students.

Opening event of Music Week in San Benito will be the traditional vesper service that will be held in the downtown park Sunday afternoon. All church choirs in the city will participate in the singing of sacred music.

Other events for Music Week will be announced later.

Mrs. J. P. Archer Guest Of Sister, Mrs. A. Kirby

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Alberta Kirby has as her guest her sister, Mrs. J. P. Archer, who has just recently returned to the United States from Cebu, Philippine Islands.

Mrs. Kirby went to San Francisco where she met her sister, and the latter's son, Dr. J. P. Archer, and Mrs. Archer and their two children. Later Mrs. Kirby and her sister accompanied the four to Omaha, returning to Brownsville from there. Dr. Archer will tour the Northwest, joining his wife and children in Oklahoma before coming on to Brownsville to join his mother about May 1. His mother will accompany them as far as Dallas where she will make her home in the future, and Dr. and Mrs. Archer and their children will go on to Chicago, where Dr. Archer will be stationed at the Marine General Hospital.

Methodist Seniors Honored By Banquet

SAN BENITO—A banquet was given Tuesday evening in the dining room of the Methodist church by members of the Methodist Missionary Society honoring twenty seniors who are members of the Methodist church.

Honorees were Robert Bone, Bobbie Harris, R. Lee Rode, Don Vantine, Doris Mae Andrews, Dorothy Jean Barber, Louise Carson, Sadie Lou Davidson, Blanche Gilbert, Ollie Lee Goode, Doris Heidland, Marie Ann Horkman, Joyce Littlepage, Martha Moses, Martha Plahn, Frieda Schneider, Betty Mae Smith, Eleanor Thompson, Madelyn Valentine, and Ehelyn Kiepland. Special guests were Mrs. Annabel Buchanan, class sponsor, Grady St. Clair, superintendent of schools and Ty Cobb, Weslaco who was guest speaker. The table was decorated in the class colors of crimson and white and tall red tapers in crystal holders.

Miss Margaret Conrardy gave two readings. Marilyn Daughtrey and Louthan played a piano duet.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vick were in charge of games and contests.

Forty-five enjoyed this delightful courtesy.

Meet In Sebastian

SEBASTIAN—Mrs. E. L. Townsend assisted by Mrs. Ray Alexander was in charge of the mission program in which the book, "Give Ye Them to Eat" was reviewed at the regular W.M.S. meeting this week. Mrs. Dorothy Britt gave the devotional and Mrs. M. S. Wood and Mrs. Cruse Williams offered to prepare the Mothers Day program.

Murrays Visit

BROWNSVILLE—Judge and Mrs. W. O. Murray of San Antonio, formerly of Floresville, have been spending the past few days in Brownsville, attending the Presbytery sessions.

Mr., Mrs. W. T. Harvey Observe Golden Wedding At Ceremony, Reception



Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Harvey of Brownsville celebrated their golden weding anniversary with a service Friday evening at the First Baptist church, followed by a reception given by the WMS of the church. The Harveys, residents of Brownsville for the past thirty years, were married in Martindale April 19, 1890.

BROWNSVILLE—Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Harvey gathered at the First Baptist Church Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock for a ceremony at which the couple celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

The rites were read by Dr. Charles S. Pierce, pastor of the church, in a setting made pretty with arrangements of white blossoms, and golden tapers.

Kent Stratford at the organ played a musical prelude and two solos, "I Love You Truly," and "Love's Old Sweet Song," were sung by Mrs. Fritz Schmidt. Mr. Stratford also played the traditional wedding marches for the processional and recessional.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey entered together. Mrs. Harvey wore a formal gown of white lace, worn with a jacket, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses.

She was attended as matron of honor by her daughter, Mrs. D. McLendon of Pharr. Other attendants were Mrs. S. C. Tucker, Mrs. Gladys Riley, niece of Mr. Harvey, Miss Frances Ferrell, niece of Mrs. Harvey, Junior attendants were the granddaughter of the honored pair, Maxine McLendon of Pharr, and Helen Jean Russell. All wore formal frocks in pastel hues, and carried bouquets of harmonizing shades.

Best man to Mr. Harvey was Mr. McLendon of Pharr, and ushers were Ed McEowen, Jim Dunham, Paul Glenn and Harry Roberts.

Immediately following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey were honor guests for a reception held in the parlors of the church, given by members of the Women's Missionary Society of the church. Receiving the guests were members of the wedding party and Dr. and Mrs. Pierce.

The junior attendants were in charge of the white leather and gold bride's book.

About the rooms were bouquets of yellow flowers, and the same yellow blossoms centered the lace-laid refreshment table. The cake, a huge, square confection, was embossed in gold in the form of a yellow basket holding yellow roses. Cutting the cake after Mrs. Harvey had cut the first slice was Mrs. Tucker, and Mrs. Pierce presided at the opposite end of the table at the punch bowl. Yellow tapers in crystal holders flanked the center arrangement.

Throughout the evening, Kent Stratford and Mrs. David Joost played piano selections, furnishing a musical background for the affair.

All members of the hostess society, pretty in formal frocks, assisted in hostess duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey, who have resided in Brownsville for the past thirty years, were married April 19, 1890, in Martindale.

Trio Initiated Into Sorority

EDINBURG — Sonora Bryan, Gwendolyn Gohman, and Joyce Post were initiated into the Theta Gamma Gamma sorority in an impressive ceremony Wednesday night. The rites were observed in the community house which was dimly lit with candles and decorated with an abundance of flowers to stress the colors of green and gold.

Miss Marion Davis and Helen West gave the initiatory speeches with Miss Charlotte Tinkler, president, in charge of the initiation.

Delicious refreshments repeating the favored color scheme was served to Mrs. W. F. Tinkler, sponsor, the new members, and Dorothy Casberg, Jacqueline Powell, Martha Murphey, Jane Hearne, Dorothy Gohman, Marion Davis, Charlotte Tinkler, Bernice Douglas, Billie Jeane Roberts, Helen Frances Ramsour, Izora Tinkler and Helen West.

Quilting Is Held By Combes Group; Birthdays Noted

COMBES — An all-day quilting was held Tuesday at the Methodist annex, the group quilting the beautiful tulip quilt pieced and given to the Women's Missionary Society by Mrs. B. Q. Roller. A covered dish lunch was served at noon and a short business session held.

To honor the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Hugh Brazil and Mrs. T. J. Leyson, a social hour was enjoyed in the church parlors which were decked with pink Columbia roses.

Rev. Paul Weiss, in behalf of the group, presented a basket of lovely gifts to the honorees. Angel food cake and ice cream were served by Mrs. F. L. French, Mrs. Gus Elliott, and Mrs. Jeff Gilbert.

Present in addition to those named above were Mesdames W. Q. Adams, J. W. Norman, H. M. King, Pearce King, Mutt Collinsworth, E. B. Fly, Wm. Vandusen, Alvin Posey, Wilbur Staton, H. H. Mays, Bill Pitzer and R. Q. Adams and Mrs. Paul Weiss.

Dinner Compliment To Guest Group

RAYMONDVILLE—As a farewell gesture to departing guests Rev. and Mrs. M. C. Yeargan entertained at dinner on Thursday evening the relatives and friends of Mrs. A. C. Ware and daughter Miss Kay Ware, who left early Friday morning to return to St. Louis by way of New Orleans.

Cool green linens were used for the buffet table and the centerpiece was scarlet hibiscus in a shallow crystal bowl.

Two Are Hostesses For Alamo Guests

ALAMO—Mesdames Dales Knapp and Floyd Swallow entertained Wednesday with a luncheon and bridge at the Casa De Palmas Hotel.

The guest list included, Mesdames A. F. Taylor, Collin Vinsant, Tut Caddel, Darnell de Roulac, Elbert Jensen, Carl Drennan, Ira Sharp, Grant Montgomery, Allen Cox, Leonard Davis, John Jacobs, Henry Koch, Wm. Cloughly, Burl Stugard, E. E. Wagner, W. D. Whalen, G. L. Cowley, Herbert McMorries, Leonard Johnson, S. E. Hart, W. H. Howse, Dick Hodgson, C. U. Reed, C. H. Swallow, Constance Stensbo, J. C. McCreary.

High score prize was won by Mrs. Wagner, second high by Mrs. Whalen and bingo by Mrs. Caddel.

IN OKLAHOMA

COMBES—Mrs. W. L. Elliff and two children are visiting relatives and friends in Oklahoma.

Hill Country Setting For Dinner Party

PHARR—Miss Margaret Hogan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hogan of Pharr, was co-hostess for a beautifully appointed pre-nuptial dinner party Saturday evening given at the Hotel Cibalo in Boerne, nestling in the picturesque hills of Bexar county. Co-hostess with Miss Hogan, was Miss Blossom Frederick of Brady, and the honoree was Miss Margaret McDonald of San Antonio. Miss McDonald's approaching marriage to Lieut. Bill Kieffer of Kelley Field, is of wide interest throughout South Texas. The bride-elect is a sorority sister of the hostesses, while the prospective groom is a West Point military classmate of Lieut. Samuel M. Hogan of Ft. Brown, a brother of Miss Hogan.

In keeping with the scenic beauty of the hills and historic little town, the rustic theme was carried out in every detail. Bouquets of wild flowers, with the symbolic bluebonnet predominating, formed the floral appointments. Plate favors were white gardenias.

The personnel included Margaret Hogan and Lieut. P. T. Preuss; Blossom Frederick and Lieut. H. C. Huglin; Mona McDonald and Lieut. F. P. Sturdivant; Lila Wintz and Lieut. J. H. Spangler; Janet Preston and Lieut. J. B. Herboth; Patricia Burns and Lieut. R. L. Snider; Lieut. and Mrs. F. J. Sawyer; Lieut. and Mrs. R. C. McBride; Lieut. and Mrs. J. D. Ryan; Lieut. and Mrs. Samuel M. Hogan; Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hogan; Margaret McDonald and Lieut. W. B. Kieffer. The honor guests have visited in the Valley frequently.

Miss Hogan will stop in San Antonio for a week's visit before returning to her home, while her parents and Lieut. and Mrs. Samuel M. Hogan will return to the Valley Sunday.

Oratorio Rich In Symbolism

HARLINGEN—Rehearsals being held regularly by the chorus that will present Haydn's "The Creation" as Harlingen's contribution to Music Week Sunday evening, May 5, declare the performance is the most ambitious ever attempted by a Valley group, excelling even the "Messiah" in exacting demands on conductors, soloists, and singers. "The Creation" as a whole holds a high place in musical literature.

It was composed by Joseph Haydn between 1796 and 1798 when he was a very old man but he spared no pains in trying to make it good enough, as he said, "to last a long time."

"The Creation" charms by its bright melody and sunny tone colors. The text was suggested by Milton's "Paradise Lost" and the basis for the whole story of "The Creation" is the book of Genesis.

The opening portions describe order and beauty emerging from chaos; the gradual clearing of the vast abyss follows; then the creation of the earth, sky, and light; at last come the fields, flowers and living beings.

David L. Ormesher is director for the Methodist Church choir which is augmented by members of the Music Lovers Club for the performance.

Kid Party Enjoyed By Club Members

HARLINGEN—A kid party was the very enjoyable event arranged at the home of Mrs. Vertie B. Engelbrecht Wednesday with Mrs. Manda Carey as co-hostess. Two new members, Mrs. Marie Miller and Mrs. Lena Schrantz were welcomed.

An entertaining program and contests marked the social hour. Additional amusement was afforded by costumes of members who were attired with little girls in short dresses and hair ribbons.

Sticks of candy and ice cream cones were served.

Steak Fry Staged On Moonlit Lawn

RAYMONDVILLE—A moonlight steak fry was the unique way Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson chose to entertain guests on Wednesday evening at their pretty home in Lee Heights.

Honorees were Mrs. Ed Gundlach, Mrs. Lee B. Carr and Misses Margene Gunlach and Eloise Baute of St. Louis and guests were Mrs. A. C. Ware, Miss Kay Ware and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Goss. Following the gay informal supper table games were played indoors.

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Valley Visitor Honored



Mrs. Howard L. Dunn of Dallas and Stigler, Okla., has been honored during her Valley visit with a number of informal courtesies. She has been the house guest of her aunt, Mrs. George Ely, and Mr. Ely in McAllen, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. England in San Juan, and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow England in Weslaco. Mr. Dunn has been on a fishing trip in Old Mexico and will join his wife in the Valley for a few days before their return home. (Holbrook Studio)

Visitor In Harlingen Is Guest Of Honor For Pretty Saturday Tea

HARLINGEN — Honoring Mrs. Lloyd E. Parton of Marlin, Mrs. R. B. Hamilton and Mrs. C. H. Hamilton entertained Saturday afternoon with a delightful spring tea at the latter's home. Mrs. Parton is sister and house guest of Mrs. C. H. Hamilton.

Floral setting and other appointments reflected a spring motif of pink and white accented with touches of green. Pink roses and pink and white gladiolas predominated in the profusion of pastel blossoms clustered about the rooms.

Greeting the guests were the honoree and hostesses. Mrs. Parton wore a formal costume of tan lace, Mrs. R. B. Hamilton was in embroidered organdy in an apricot shade, and Mrs. C. H. Hamilton wore a frock of pink chiffon and lace. Gladiolas tied with ribbons complimenting or harmonizing with their frocks formed their corsages. Mrs. Lydia Arnett, mother of Mrs. C. H. Hamilton, wore rose crepe and blossoms in a matching shade.

The tea table was especially pretty. From the oblong centerpiece spikes of pink gladiolas spread outward over the lace cover while white gladiolas rising toward the top merged with red roses interlaced above the pink gladiolas. Individual cakes embossed in white and decorated with pink rosebuds, served with punch and other dainties, repeated the chosen spring colors. White tapers in crystal holders flanked pink roses arranged on the buffet.

Mrs. E. C. Deering, Mrs. S. M. Harvey, and Mrs. S. G. Stringer alternated at the punch bowl and Mrs. J. J. Willingham, Mrs. James Koonce, and Mrs. Myrlin Johnson assisted in the dining room.

Others who assisted in hostess duties during the afternoon were Mrs. Hugh Ramsey, and Mrs. Douglas Carver.

A hundred guests were received during the afternoon.

FROM NEW YORK

ALAMO—Mrs. S. E. Hart came Wednesday from New York City to visit at the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Davis.

Benefit Party Set

BROWNSVILLE—Club women of Brownsville and other civic organizations will stage a benefit bridge Saturday afternoon, May 4, for the N. Y. A. project for girls in Brownsville.

The affair will be held at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the project, 1022 West St. Francis street. Reservations should be made with Mrs. E. M. Dierlam, phone 922. Tickets will be 25 cents apiece.

There will be two attractive door prizes and prizes will be offered at each table of players also.

The event is being sponsored to raise additional funds for the project, which is being done partially by pledges from the clubs and civic organiztaions of Brownsville.

Ellis Perrys Hosts For Evening Club At Bridge Games

BROWNSVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Perry entertained members of the Evening Bridge club at their home Wednesday.

Guest players were Mr. and Mrs. B. B. McDonald and Mrs. L. Thurmond Kruger. In the games, Mrs. Krueger was high.

Others playing were Messrs. and Mesdames Fred Pilgrim, George Putegnat, M. P. Stephens, and Jack Wiech.

Class Has Party

COMBES — The Adult Sunday schol class of the Methodist church enjoyed a class party Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. A. J. Swope with Mrs. T. M. Cheatem, assistant hostess. After an evening of games refreshments were served.

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Beeville Guest Given Coffee

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Sam Hill of Beeville, who has been the guest of Mrs. James L. Rentfro while her husband attended the sessions of the Presbytery, was named honor guest at a small coffee Thursday morning by Mrs. Rentfro.

Spring flowers were arranged prettily about the reception rooms of the home. Talisman roses, candytuft and larkspur in various shades, and red and pink roses formed the spring bouquets.

Greeting guests at the door was Mrs. Edward McChesney. Others assisting in the living room were Mrs. R. O. Mackintosh and Miss Florence Bell.

In the dining room, the coffee table was centered with talisman roses. Here Mrs. Thomas H. Sweeney poured coffee, and Mrs. A. K. Black served the tamales. Assisting in the dining room were Mrs. Walter M. Galloway and Mrs. Herbert L. Thomas.

Mrs. Hill has spent almost the entire week with Mrs. Rentfro. Mr. Hill, pastor of the Beeville church, was a delegate to the Presbytery.

June Bride Is Honoree

HARLINGEN — Miss Mildred Decker, whose mrariage to Fred Purvis of San Benito is to be an event of June, was honored with a pretty shower the past week with Miss Burr Dee Whitley as hostess. A pink and white color theme was carried out with individual rosebud corsages.

A refreshment course of cake and ice cream was served. Lettered on the embossed cakes was the announcement "Mildred and Fred, June 9th."

Guests included Misses Mabel Hitt, Bessie Gojdosik, Connie Ayers, Virginia Molder, Audrey Luther, Emma Lozana, Aubrey Hobson, Aileen Adams, Odethel Cummings, Eileen Armstrong, Mary Tanberg, Neva Belle Nale, and Dorothy Whitworth, Harold Crossett, John Quaintance, O. F. Shaw, W. McLamore, Firpo Harrison and Tony Soto, and Mrs. George Decker, mother of the honoree.

The hostess was assisted by her mother, Mrs. B. D. Whitley.

Children Honored By Birthday Party

HARLINGEN — Patsy McClellan and Terry Wood were honor guests Thursday for the monthly birthday party arranged by the Child Study Club for children of members whose birthdays occur in April. Hostesses were Mrs. E. B. McClellan and Mrs. Joe Wood at the former's home.

The little guests drew favors from a fish pond and were served ice cream with cookies.

Mrs. Schendel Directs Study

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. O. V. Schendel was in charge of the lesson at the Thursday morning meeting of the Alpha Study club at the home of Mrs. R. A. Hightower.

Mrs. Schendel gave a most interesting discussion on the life and career of Porfirio Diaz.

Fifteen members attended. The next meeting will be held in two weeks at the Hightower home.



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This 'N' That

By Minnie Gilbert

NOW IS THE time for all good Valley citizens to come to the aid of Garden Club women in making this region a veritable flowerland next April for the meeting of the Texas Federation of Garden Clubs.

No better advertising in Texas could be desired than the enthusiastic praise of garden club delegates who usually are recognized authorities in their communities on beautification and gardening.

One excellent suggestion made recently is the scattering of bluebonnet seeds along the newly widened highway.

Completion of the highway widening should be finished in time for broadcasting seed and considerable replanting of the shrubs and trees lost in the widening project are needed.

But, unless every individual makes a special attempt to supply as many blossoms as possible next April, the Valley will miss one of its major opportunities for favorable publicity.

AND OF COURSE, emphasis should be on the massing of bougainvilleas, since the opening of the Bougainvillea Trail is the real reason for the convention coming to the Valley.

Garden club members are already busy with plans for a Valley-wide flower show that will undoubtedly set a new high for flower displays in this region.

An elaborate wild flower exhibit in conjunction with it is virtually assured.

And, it seems that colored motion pictures of wild flowers, so many of this region are not found elsewhere in the United States would make a hit with the visiting women.

Several Valley camera fans have fairly extensive collections of flower pictures, but it is doubtful if any single person has anything approaching a complete record.

By starting now with filming retama, wild poppies, bluebonnets and mountain laurel in bloom, a photographer could follow the native blossoms through the rest of this season and continue through next winter and early spring to present nearly every native blossom of particular interest or beauty.

THIS IS AN excellent time to leave the main highways for prowling excursions into by-ways.

By following routes leading into or through wooded tracts, one can usually find unexpected vistas of special beauty or interest.

One of the most picturesque lanes remaining in the Valley is the stretch leading from the old mission near Mission through the brush paralleling the railway for about a mile.

So dense is the growth that the branches almost meet overhead and sunlight is filtered onto the road in a lacy pattern.

The trees are unusually large and mostly anaqua and the prodigious crop of berries indicates the snowy anaqua blossoms must have made the road a sight to behold a few weeks ago—well worth a pilgrimage from nearly any point in the Valley.

THE SEASON'S most repeated fashion axiom—"dress for one man"—has been followed by most women and girls practically always.

Summer's silhouette has forsaken the much discussed and shortlived stemlined torso for mermaid curves.

And if it's any help, the models used in an aquarium setting in a New York City fashion emporium have bedroom eyes and garments are draped with generous decollettage.

THE WOMAN who does her own sewing or has a clever seamstress who can follow her designs probably will be tops with her wardrobe for the next season or so.

Clamor for custom-made clothes in New York is always creating quite a stir.

Just such a trend developed during the World War, it was learned through surveys made last summer by fashion experts seeking to determine the probable effect of the then almost certain European conflict upon the clothing industry.

Reports showed conclusively that the greatest era of home sewing in the last half century was recorded during the war years and right afterwards.

ANOTHER WAR trend that probably will develop soon will be in interest in knitting garments worn by soldiers.

Because handknit clothes have been among the smartest in milady's wardrobe lo these past few years, knitting is not one of the nearly lost arts that women nad to re-learn during the last war.

But lessons are needed even by the experts for turning out masculine apparel.

Susie Alsmeyer of Robstown (Mrs. Henry L., formerly of San Benito) is among the first to help form a knitting club. One was organized the past week by Legion Auxiliary members in her home.

STATE-WIDE recognition of the attainments of Valley music clubs can be claimed by virtue of the election of Mrs. Orville I. Cox of McAllen as recording secretary of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs.

Her selection took place Friday at the annual convention in Waco.

It's difficult to discover a statewide organization fostering the advancement of culture, education, or welfare in any field that does not have Valley representatives in the groups of leaders.

The old charge about "isolation" in the Valley is just about groundless now.

Bridge Hostess

ELSA—Mrs. C. C. Pickens entertained Tuesday at her home with two tables of bridge in rooms decorated with roses. High score prize went to Mrs. Mike Holmes.

San Jacinto Tea Event Draws Many

Jr. Self-Culture Gives Annual Affair

BROWNSVILLE — The annual San Jacinto tea by members of the Junior Self-Culture club was one of the delightful events of Friday, and was held between 4 and 6 o'clock in the patio of Landrum's.

The walled garden at Landrum's made an especially appropriate setting for the early spring event. Greeting the guests at the door were Mrs. Ben L. Brite, Miss Betty Rockwell and Mrs. Homer E. Watkins. Mrs. Brite wore a formal frock of apple green crepe; Miss Rickwell wore a flowered sheer, and Mrs. Watkins' dress was navy blue dotted Swiss, ornamented with white lace.

Presiding at the punch table, in one corner of the patio was Mrs. Jack Mace, in a frock of white dotted swiss, ornamented with bows of pink ribbons, and with the pink ribbons run through the lace at the waist-line. She alternated in serving with Mrs. Charles Mathers, whose shirt waist frock of white pique was worn with a waist of white cotton embroidered in red.

The tea table, in another corner of the patio held a bowl of red, white and blue flowers. Presiding here in the first hour was Mrs. George W. Putegnat, who wore a lovely frock of white net, with the waist being made entirely of rows of white lace. Presiding here too were Mrs. C. L. Robison, whose jacket frock of seersucker was in brown and yellow stripes, and Mrs. Milton Overstreet, whose gown was crinkled organdy in blue flowered design.

Assisting elsewhere were Mrs. J. Gordon White, in a shirtwaist frock of yellow crepe, with a waist of net white and lace; Miss Elizabeth Graham, blue cotton figured sheer; Mrs. John Van de Puttex, flowered chiffon with lavender taffeta Jacket; Mrs. F. Davis Cromack, thin blue cotton print with lace trim; Mrs Harvey E. Nuckols, white satin, with shirred waist and bodice; Mrs. L. Thurmond Krueger, American Beauty taffeta, with the jacket and bottom of her skirt banded with shirring; Mrs. Collis P. Perkins, pink sheer, worn with a jacket; Mrs. Jack Wiech, gay flowered cotton with a jacket of yellow linen; Mrs. Oran W. Neck, plaid taffeta in tones of Brown and yellow.

On one of the serving tables was a pretty arrangement of yellow cactus blossoms, set on a mirror reflector and surrounded with fern.

About 250 guests called during the receiving hours.

Library Aid Is Stressed

HARLINGEN—Plans for advancing their project of aiding the Harlingen library by soliciting and collecting books were discussed when the No Name club held a business meeting after a dinner Thursday evening at the Madison Hotel. Dorothy Thomas directed the business period.

Harlingen residents are urged by the club group to search their homes for seldom used books which would be useful to library users. Boxes have been placed in some of the stores for book contributions. Members will collect gifts of books if notified.

A related project is the collection of magazines which will be distributed to the library and to the hospital.

Dinner Is Surprise

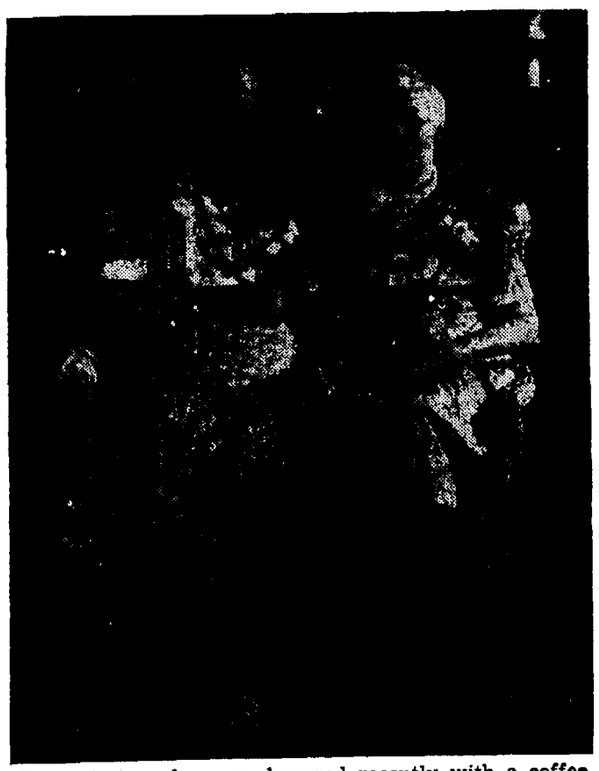
ALAMO—Mrs. Connie Stensbo and Mrs. Sam Metz of McAllen, entertained with a surprise dinner party in honor of Mr. Metz Wednesday evening.

The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Reese, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. L. Myhtt, of McAllen, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gerber of Donna and Mr. Lee Hart.

To Give Review

HARLINGEN—Mrs. N. V. Sidener of Weslaco will give a book review at the meeting of the Child Study Club Thursday at the home of Mrs. J. C. Thrash. A luncheon will precede the review.

Twins Reunited By Visit



Twin sisters who were honored recently with a coffee of outstanding interest are presented in the photo above. Mrs. Ella M. Campbell of McAllen is shown left and Mrs. Emma K. Campbell, Cleveland, Ohio, right. The coffee was given at the home of the former's granddaughter, Mrs. George McCullough in Pharr, with her mother, Mrs. Walter K. Campbell of McAllen as co-hostess. Mrs. Emma K. Campbell left for her home Thursday.

Seated Coffee Friday Is Interesting Event

HARLINGEN—Claiming particular interest among events that have crowded the week-end calendar was the coffee given Friday from 10 to 11 by the Harlingen Child Study club at the home of Mrs. R. W. Frush. Special guests were members of Child Study groups from other Valley towns. Baskets of spring flowers were placed throughout the home, double larkspur and pink roses noting the club's colors of pink and blue. An especially attractive arrangement of blue, pink and white larkspur on the manel was reflected in the mirror.

Receiving the guests at the door with Hrs. Frush were Mrs. Glen Schuepbach, president, Mrs. E. B. McClellan, and Mrs. Joe Wood. Members of the hostess club wore spring printed dresses and corsages of spring blooms.

Mrs. Garvin Elrod played the Hawaiian steel guitar during the hours of receiving. A special feature was a group of songs by little Frances Dempsey.

Pink Columbia roses and candytuft tinted blue graced the coffee table which was laid with an exquisite cloth of grass linen. On the buffet was an artistic arrangement featuring floating waterlily candles their lighted wicks reflecting against the silver bowl and three silver deer standing in the shallow water.

Out of town guests included Mesdames F. C. Council, A. D. Hubbard, P. S. Brown, and Jack L. Page, McAllen; Harley G. Diehl, Glen Hoel, Claude Rogers, Weslaco; Eugene Robinson, Jimmie Nuchols, Wilbur Schreiber, and Carl Zeitler, La Feria; M. M. Martin, Paul Hill, H. C. Aldridge, and Blake French, San Benito; and Miss Virginia Ray Murphy, house guest of Mrs. L. E. Seligman.

Calendar

HARLINGEN

MONDAY

7 p.m. Harlingen Business and Professional Women's Club meets at the home of Mrs. Jim Ferguson for a covered dish supper.

10 a.m. Fine Arts Club meets at the Woman's Building for a called meeting.

TUESDAY

9 a.m. Valley Federation of Women's Clubs convenes at First Methodist Church in San Benito.

3 p.m. All circles Baptist W.M.S. meet at the church.

3 p.m. Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service meets at the church.

WEDNESDAY

3 p.m. Harlingen Fine Arts Club entertains with annual guest day at Woman's Building.

THURSDAY

3 p.m. Harlingen Study Club meets at the Woman's Building.

1 p.m. Child Study club meets for luncheon and book review at the home of Mrs. J. C. Thrash.

2:30 p.m. Stuart Place Home Demonstration Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Paul Davies.

To Carolina

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. Phil K. McNair have departed for a visit in South Carolina. They stopped in Dallas en route to visit a day or so with their son, James, who was entered in the Texas schoolboy golf tournament.

Guest Departs

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. A. S. Richardson of Houston, who has been visiting for several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Colgin, left for Harlingen for the Christian church convention.

Cookery Lectures Slated By Expert On Valley Visit

Waterless Cookery Advantages Told



MRS. LILLIE WARD

BROWNSVILLE — According to Miss Lillie Ward, pictured here Valley residents may be in danger from drowning, without attempting to swim or even to get near the water! In explanation of this startling statement, Miss Ward pointed out that the danger she refers to lies in "drowning" foods—vegetables, particularly. In other words, cooking foods in quantities of water may rob them of properties that are essential to health, as well as of delightful natural flavors.

Miss Ward will be in Brownsville from Monday to Thursday and will conduct continuous demonstrations daily at Edelstein's Better Furniture Store to show local housewives how to cook successfully without water, and thus avoid the above danger.

Miss Ward, who comes to the Valley from the Club Aluminum Test Kitchen, Chicago, will be remembered by many local women who have attended previous demonstrations that she has conducted at Edelstein's Better Furniture Stores.

Thrpughout Miss Ward's visit, the store will feature a 7-piece set of Club Aluminum Hammercraft Waterless Cookware at special reductions, on special terms, with a lifetime guarantee signed by the manufacturer, and generous return privilege.

Mrs. Alex Gerry Luncheon Hostess

WESLACO—Mrs. Alex Gerry entertained with the second of the delightful series of luncheons Wednesday at her home, Fiesta Courts, hostess at the Cedar Grill, with the Mexican motifs emphasized in the decorative motifs for the charming courtesy.

Guests In Mission

WESLACO—Members of the Firemen's Auxillary who were guests of the Mission Auxiliary at the home of Mrs. Roy Gerner Tuesday night were Mesdames V. B. Ross, Lee Pettit, Kenneth Hixon, Cacil Holman Buster Black, A. L. Cartwright, Lola Doris Martin, Sylvan Johnson, Tillman Bagwell, R. G. Casey, Alton Archer and Roy Faris.

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Supper Given For Guests In Willacy

RAYMONDVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Johnson entertained at a delightful buffet supper for the guests from St. Louis who are visiting Mrs. A. C. Ware, her mother Mrs. Lee B. Carr and friend, Mrs. Ed. Gunlach.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. D. Burton Rapp and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Glarner and Harry Ware.

Crimson roses in emerald green bowl with matching candle sticks and red tapers decorated the attractive table covered with a cloth of intricate lace pattern.

Guests were seated at quartette tables for the delicious meal with a service of handsome crimson and green glassware and each table was centered with a perfect deep red rose.

Distinguished guest artists made the Raymondville Woman's club program this week of particular interest. The fine arts program was presented under the chairmanship of Mrs. George Lochrie assisted by Mrs. Roger Robinson and Mrs. D. B. Rapp.

Mrs. Becca Van Kreveld Detert, Santa Rosa, former opera and concert artist, appeared wearing the costume of her native Holland and sang a Dutch song. She also gave a Japanese lullaby, an Oriental lament, and a Dutch love song. Mrs. L. M. Vigness, La Feria, was accompanist, and later in the program gave French and other numbers.

How the French government fosters the art of painting was told by Pierre Tartoue, celebrated portrait artist who is ending a Valley visit shortly to return to New York City. He was accompanied by Mrs. Tartoue and Carrol Tanner, McAllen.

Setting for the affair was a veritable art gallery, the walls of the club house being hung with paintings, the work of the Rio Grande Valley Art League of which Mrs. Lochrie is an active member. Palms and blossoms gave added beauty.

The table, gleaming with handsome silver punch bowl service and matching candelabra holding unlighted green tapers, was centered with a silver bowl of spicy petunias resting on a cloth of linen embroidered cutwork. Mrs. M. L. Deviney, president, poured.

Recent Bride Honor Guest

HARLINGEN—Mrs. Emmett Sullivan, formerly Miss Pauline Morgan, was honored Wednesday afternoon with a shower at the home of Mrs. Jack Choate. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Jack Choate, Mrs. T. J. Wallace, and Mrs. C. E. Morgan, mother of the honoree.

The rooms were decorated with spring blossoms in pastel shades.

Miss Essie Raye Choate, daughter of the hostess presided over the guest book.

Appropriate games were played with prizes being won by Mrs. George Wallace, Mrs. L. W. Stinebuck, and Mrs. Pat Haynes, all of whom presented their trophies to the honoree. Many lovely bridal gifts also were presented to the bride.

Attractive refreshment plates noting the spring theme were passed.

Present were Mesdames Erma Hurley, J. J. Harvill, M. W. Ritchey, Pat Haynes, George Wallace, R. H. Stolley, L. W. Stinebuck, V. L. Rapp, C. L. Adams, W. M. Smith, Browning Smith, M. B. Tarwater, C. H. Homerlock, H. Stolley and R. H. Stolley, Jr., of McAllen; Mrs. Alvin Nye and Mrs. Ida Nye of Raymondville; Misses Lena Mae and Georgia Wallace, Priscilla Stolley, Betty Jo Hokit, Velma Hurley, Essie Raye Choate, and the honoree.

Mrs. Grunwald Is Entertained

LOS FRESNOS—Friends of Mrs. James Grunwald recently surprised her with a miscellaneous shower at her home in Los Fresnos.

Those taking part in the affair were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Galleyn, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Greer, Mr. and Mrs. Shankle, Rev. and Mrs. Bradford Ramsey, Mrs. E. B. Palmer, Mrs. Carl Leeper, Mrs. E. A. Oliver, Frank and Grover Greer, and baby H. B. Ramsey.

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Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Barron Hostesses At Pretty Spring Bridge Party

BROWNSVILLE—Among the delightful spring parties was the pretty afternoon bridge at which Mrs. John F. Barron and Mrs. E. P. Reed were hostesses Thursday afternoon at the Brownsville Country club.

Cosmos, phlox, carnations and other spring flowers in varied shades made a pretty setting for the games in which Mrs. John Puckett was high. Mrs. Thomas H. Sweeney was second high, Mrs. E. P. Kennerly, medium, and Mrs. Ted Pelikan, low.

Included in the guest list were Mesdames Neil Allen, Guy Bevil, D. B. Briggs, Ben L. Brite, Roy F. Breeden, Charles E. Benn, Charles Bracht, Bill Barber, Brooks Conover, Charley Calderoni, Bascom Cox, D. K. Clint, Howard L. Cummins, Vernon E. Colley.

Mesdames Jack Cronenwett of Harlingen, I. Dorfman, John Dutro, Robert M. Duffey, E. M. Dierlam, M. Edelstein, Paul Ellington, Clarence W. Gound of Harlingen, Harrell Finley, Emil Hartman, Winship Hodge, Nat B. Hatcher, Wallace B. Harwood, W. E. Heaner, John Jones, David Joost.

Mesdames Joe Ingram, Fred Knapp, E. P. Kennerly, Thurman A. Kinder, Jr., G. C. Kerr, L. Thurmond Krueger, Oscar M. Longnecker, Jr., C. P. Miller, Jack Mace, Otto A. Manske, Robert T. McMinn, F. E. Macmanus, B. B. McDonald, C. E. McCormick, M. P. McNair.

Mesdames Neely Newman of San Benito, Milton Overstreet, Martin Price, Sam Perl, R. A. Porter, John B. Puckett, Robert E. Puckett, Ted C. Pelikan, Fred Pilgrim, George W. Putegnat, Ellis Perry, Jack Rutledge of Harlingen, Fay L. Rockwell, Bart Randolph.

Miss Betty Rockwell, Mesdames Harry P. Roberts, C. A. Richmond, C. L. Robison, Fritz Schmidt, R. Shire of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Thomas H. Sweeney, Thomas H. Sweeney, Jr., A. V. Smith, George J. Toland, Robert D. Fordyce, John Van de Putte, H. E. Welker, Homer E. Watkins, Jack Wiech, George Ury, and Fausto Yturria.

La Feria Seniors Honored By Banquet

LA FERIA — Annual banquet given by women of the Baptist W.M.S. to honor Baptist seniors was held Thursday evening in the educational building. Green and yellow, the class colors, were emphasized. Address of the evening was given by Rev. J. W. Mason of Edinburg. There were 43 senior class members present and several special guests.

Delegates Named By Service Unit

Federation Envoys Chosen In Fresnos

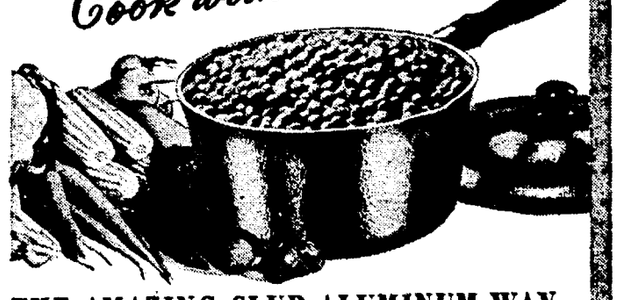
LOS FRESNOS — Mrs. Frank Kretz and Mrs. Harry Whipple were chosen delegates to the semi-annual meeting of the Valley Federation of Women's Clubs at the Thursday afternoon meeting of the Woman's Service club at the country home of Mrs. Herbert Leach.

Mrs. Earl Rogers was program leader for the afternoon. Assisting her was Mrs. Noel Ryall who gave an interesting article on Amon Carter of Fort Worth. Members answered roll call by giving the names of other Texas personalities.

Miss Fairy Cutler, a guest, and the following members were present. Mesdames Ura Breedlove, Roy Carlson, Claire Chase, Everett Chase, N. G. Chatelle, Ralph Coon, Albert Farney, Grover Greer, James Grunwald, Leon Hinkley, Ed Hockaday, Frank Kretz, Harry Lupton, Joe Nestril, Clinton Oliver, E. A. Olson, W. B. Palmer, Earl Rogers, Noel Ryall, Harry Whipple, Frank Williams and Misses Geneva Palmer and Ethel Gammon.

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Elaborate Tea Shower Given In Raymondville To Honor Bride-Elect

RAYMONDVILLE — A lovely party honoring Mrs. Virginia Hamner, bride-to-be of George Weahrung of Houston, whose marriage will take place on May 5 in the Methodist church in Harlingen, was given in the American Legion building Thursday evening with Mesdames C. C. Conley, S. I. Byars, H. E. Wahler, K. H. Duddlesten, R. K. Finlay, I. B. Loe and W. H. Phillips as joint-hostesses.

The honoree was striking in a shirred black model. Her sister, Miss Mahala Hamner also wore black, cleverly designed and trimmed with white lace.

Mrs. Conley wore a flowered silk with tucked bodice; Mrs. Byars chose a shell peach crepe; Mrs .Duddlesten selected a Capri blue, trimmed in matching lace yoke; Mrs. Finlay was attractive in a peach shadow-stripe sheer offset with corsage of cornflowers; Mrs. Loe's style was a black crepe trimmed in white; Mrs. Phillips was smart in an alpaca sheer with a short fitted buttoned bolero and a corsage of red sweetpeas.

Programs of hand sketched brides and handpainted floral wedding games were given the guests.

Mrs. Wahler, wearing white net with large white taffeta flowers appliqued at the hem and a white fur bolero, presented the program:

Piano selections by Miss Marion Shader; "The Minute Waltz" by little Ruth Warren; "Piggy Woo," a song by Ceresa Howell who also gave an acrobatic number; Miss Betty Mungerson played a flute solo, accompanied by Laurene Warren and Ann Gassett played Mozart's Sonata as a piano solo. Dorothy Jean Harding sang two numbers: "I Love You Truly" and "The Lilac Tree," accompanied by Mrs. B. S. Wright.

Little Patsy Akard, dressed as a bride entered to the wedding march played by Mrs. Wright, and presented Miss Hamner with the bride's bouquet. Little Joan Duddlesten entered trailing behind her a white express with gifts. Many lovely gifts showed the esteem in which friends and former neighbors held the honoree.

Miss Marion Shrader in white net with short bolero of quilted taffeta stitched in gold thread, presided over the crystal punch service, while Miss Marjorie Finlay in rose petal pink taffeta served dainty cakes, Miss LaFern Hendrick in pretty powder blue, and Miss Ethel Mae Day, in a soft wine red crepe, assisted.

A large group of friends called during the receiving hours.

Clubs Name Delegates To Federation

MISSION—Four Mission women's clubs will be represented at the Rio Grande Valley Federation of Women's Clubs which convenes in San Benito Tuesday for the spring session. Representatives of the North Mission and Sharyland Home Demonstration Clubs and of the Mission Study Club and the Woman's Tuesday Club will attend the one-day program.

S. M. Patterson, secretary of the Mission Chamber of Commerce will be one of the speakers on the morning forum session when Valley problems will be discussed. Mr. Patterson's subject will be the tourist industry and outlook for the Valley.

Delegates who will represent the Sharyland club are Mrs. Roy Alexander, Mrs. C. E. Crandall and Mrs. C. E. Storms. From the North Mission club, delegates are Mesdames M. M. Walden, T. W. Carter and H. W. Robinson; their alternates are Mesdames Willard Ferguson, C. G. Pettit, and A. F. McKeever.

Representatives from the Woman's Tuesday Club will be Mesdames L. G. Pyler, president; C. D. Eppright, and Leo Marcell. Their alternates are Mesdames T. W. Nethery, H. H. Ewing and T. H. Spilman, respectively. Delegates from the Mission Study Club include the president-elect, Mrs. D. W. Schulze, Mrs. Graham Johnson and Mrs. Carl A. Roettele; alternates are Mesdames A. A. Bentsen, L. E. Walker and Winston Jenkins.

Musicale Surprise For Club Members

RAYMONDVILLE — Mrs. B. S. Wright delightfully surprised members of the Raymondville Study club meeting in her home Tuesday afternoon when Stanley Addington and Frank Ing appeared on the musical program.

The musicale followed a review "Of Men and Music," by Deems Taylor, in its three parts: "Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow," by Mrs. Wright.

Mr. Addington sang "O Sublime Sweet Evening Star" from the opera Tannhauser, Wagner; "Ave Maria," Bach-Gounod, and as an encore "Shortenin' Bread" by Jacques-Wolf.

Mr. Ing sang the "Toreador Song" from "Carmen" by Bizet; "Old Mother Hubbard" to the immortal music of the Hallelujah Chorus; and "Shadrach," as an encore. The singers were accompanied by the hostess.

Ruth Warren, age seven, played "Minuet Waltz" by Chopin and "'Tis Raining" by Grunno.

Mrs. Earl Gilliland gave the 10-minute talk on Geraldine Farrar.

Weslaco B.P.W.'s Honor Girl Graduate

WESLACO—One of the loveliest banquets of the month's social calendar was given by the Business and Professional Woman's club Tuesday night at the Weslaco Hotel.

Roses and Phlox attractively decorated the table. Miss Fern Langford and Mrs. Emily Kay had charge of the program.

Mrs. Kay gave the talk, "Meeting of Human Needs in a Democracy."

Doris Nix, the club's senior girl for the year, was honoree with a lovely miscellaneous shower.

Neal McNaughten, guest of the club, showed motion pictures of Valley scenes.

Calendar

BROWNSVILLE

MONDAY

Business and Professional Women's club at Miller Hotel with Mrs. Della Bollinger.

Presbyterian Auxiliary at 3:30 p. m. at the church.

Episcopal Woman's Auxiliary at 2:30 p.m. at the parish house.

All circles of the Methodist WMS at 3 p. m. at the church.

WEDNESDAY

Penny Supper at the Central Christian church.

Travel Club with Mrs. J. M. Dunham.

Self-culture Club with Mrs. E. T. Yates at Moorcland Terrace.

THURSDAY

Brownsville Federation of Women's Clubs at 3:30 p. m. at the Presbyterian church.

Evening Bridge Club with Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Reed.

El Jardin Heights Social Club with Mrs. George Bowman.

Victoria Heights Civic Club with Mrs. Gene Parker at 9:30 a. m.

Los Ebanos Garden Club with Mrs. Thomas E. Yett at 10 a. m.

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Dunkers Club Has Election

HARLINGEN—New officers were elected at the meeting of the Dunkers Club, D.S., held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Robert Gamble, 1117 E. McKinley, Finwood Heights. The new corps of officers includes:

Mrs. E. O. Matz, president; Miss Gladys Wallace, vice president; Mrs. Bill Winters, secretary - treasurer; Miss Edna Bell Farrar, reporter; Miss Frances Payne, birthday chairman; Miss Evelyn Dell, welfare, and Miss Florence Matz, social chairman.

Each member named her favorite hobby in answering roll call. Miss Florence Matz, president, directed the business period when plans were made for a picnic Sunday, April 21, at Lake Olmito to be held jointly with members of the Hearts Club.

Miss Bernice Prenzler, birthday chairman, made the birthday presentation to Miss Gladys Wallace.

Queen's lace and purple larkspur decorated the rooms.

A brief social period was enjoyed when the hostess served a frosted beverage with sand tarts to 14.

Next regular meeting will be held May 2 at the Matz home on the Combes highway with Misses Florence Matz and Delitha Bothwell as joint hostesses.

Six Honored By Luncheon

SAN BENITO — Miss Betty Bohner was hostess Saturday for a luncheon of special charm planned to honor a group of girl graduates. Honor guests included Misses Eleanor Thompson, Robbie Weatherly, Betty Mac Smith, Darlene Lwason, Doroth. Jean Baker, and Madelyn Valentine.

Centerpiece for the long table where honorees and other guests were seated was an artistic arrangement of yellow blossoms.

Others in th personnel were Misses Betty Swan Lochmiller, Doris Heidland, Frances Simmons, Martha Plahn, Sadie Lou Davidson, Seeta Mayne Foster, Aline East, Doris Ogden, Dorothy Dodds, Blanche Gilbert, Peggy Wilmeth, Lois Lovett, and Kathryn Roberts.


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Lantana Ladies who will have prominent roles in the Lantana Ladies court this month at Texas A. & I. College are presented in the picture made in the reception room of Cousins Hall, the girls domitory. Shown, reading left to right are: Miss Rosalee Burns of Goliad. Miss Kathleen Jester of Kingsville. Miss Anna Yynn Porter of Freer. Lantana Queen; Miss Leefe Brown of San Benito, Miss Betty Jo Lyon of .Robstown, Miss Kathryn Ann Bluntzer of Corpus Christi, and Miss Harriet Kidder of Mercedes.

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The 19th century revival in furniture designs has produced some interesting arrangements for corners. This cameo-back chair, with a swirl-top table that has a lyre base and claw feet. The carving is more restrained than that in its prototypes.



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Guest Gives Talk For Club

ELSA—Valley Federation was the program topic presented at the meeting of the Elsa Civic and Study Club Wednesday. Mrs. Wm. Hughes, program chairman, presented Mrs. Henry Lauderdale of Mercedes, who was guest speaker and gave the club much interesting information.

Patsy Graham gave a piano solo.

Mrs. H. Harrison was presented as a new member.

The beautification committee has been busy during recent weeks and reported trees and shrubs planted and carpet grass set out.

Miss Genevieve Rhodes, Mrs. A. C. Carlson, and Mrs. John Carr volunteered to plan the club luncheon which will mark the last meet of the year to be held Saturday, May 18. New officers will be installed at that time.

Intermediates Hold Evening Of Games

HARLINGEN—A jolly evening was spent by members of the intermediate department of the Methodist Sunday school Thursday evening in the basement of the church. Shuffleboard and other games were enjoyed and sandwiches were served with cold drinks.

Chaperones included Mrs. Clifford Margraves, sponsor, and Garver Murray, Mrs. Roy Householder, and Mrs. G. S. Wofford, teachers.

Obligation Service Will Be Observed By Eastern Star

McALLEN—The McAllen chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star will hold an obligation service Monday at 8 p. m. at the regular meeting at the Masonic Temple.

Observance of the service follows an annual custom. Mrs. George Edwards, worthy matron, with officers of the chapter, will be in charge.

Friday members of the Valley Matrons Club will meet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel for their regular luncheon at noon.

Memphis Guests

BROWNSVILLE — Guests here for the next month are Mrs. J. F. Owen and her daughter, Theresa Kay, of Memphis, Tennessee. They are residing in the home of their brother and uncle, Louis C. Skipper, who is stationed temporarily in San Salvador.

Poetry Topic For Session

BROWNSVILLE — Nineteenth Century poetry was the topic of study for members of the Literature and Arts Review Club Friday morning at the home of Mrs. Rufus Ransome.

Mrs. Hubert R. Hudson was in charge of the program, and dwelt particularly on Keats and Shelley.

The next meeting will be held May 3, at the home of Mrs. Thurman A. Kinder, Jr., when Mrs. Joseph C. Jordon will be in charge of the program.

Attending the Friday meeting were Mesdames Joe K. Wells, Joe Vivier, Jr., W. E. McDavitt, Hubert R. Hudson, G. D. Sutton, Howard L. Cummins, James A. Maxwell, Jr., M. P. McNair, James L. Rentfro, R. A. Porter, Carl W. Gillette, Winship Hodge, Joseph C. Jordon, C. S. Eidman, Walter M. Galloway, James L. Abney, Thurman A. Kinder, Jr., O. J. Studeman, and Penrose W. Hirst.

Guest Day Is Wednesday

HARLINGEN—Mrs. Joseph C. Jordan of Brownsville will be presented by the Fine Arts Club Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock in a dramatic interpretation of "Susan and God," well-known play by Rachel Crothers. The event, which is to be at the Woman's Building, will mark the club's annual guest day.

Mrs. Jordan, talented in this field of artistic expression, is widely known for her interpretation of "Our Town" by Thornton Wilder. She spends a few weeks in New York each winter attending the theatre and saw Gertrude Lawrence play the leading role in "Susan and God" two seasons ago. For her performance in this role Miss Lawrence was adjudged the best actress on Broadway that year as the "phony, luxuriating Buchmanite" in Susan and God. The play has dramatic situations that are at times pathetic, but more often amusing and sustain one's interest and absorption to the final curtain.

Mrs. Jordan's interpretation and review will be preceded by a violin duet by Phil Murray and Robin Burdette accompanied by Mrs. Josephine Pollard Huntley.

Each member of the Fine Arts Club will have two personal guests. Other invited guests are members of the Afflatus Club, the Junior Fine Arts Club, and the Chi Phi Pi sorority. Forming the club's social committee are Mesdames O. E. Stuart, Charles Simmons, Eugene Torbett, and R. L. Hill.

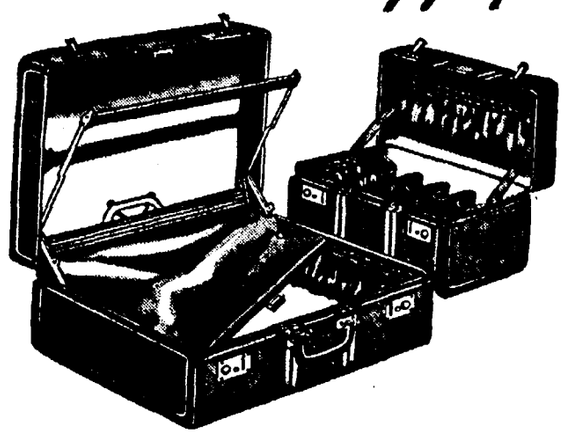
Monday morning at 10 a.m. Mrs. Stanley Crockett is calling a short called meeting of the Fine Arts Club at the Woman's Building.

Supper Is Success

RAYMONDVILLE—The Girl Reserves penny supper at the Methodist church Tuesday netted $15.00 for the Y.W.C.A. Camp at Rio Hondo.

New officers going to camp at Rio Hondo this weekend are: Winnie Fred Raymond, President, Mamie Yates, vice-president; Doris Kilborn, Secretary-treasurer, and Virginia Lee Wood, song leader.

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Guest Day Arranged By La Feria Club Is Noteworthy Event

LA FERIA — Annual guest day observed Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Margaret Oliver was the highlight of the year for the Twentieth Century Club and among the outstanding social events of the spring season. Spring blossoms were lavishly arranged about the rooms.

Hostesses were members of the executive board headed by Mrs. Leon Hargrove, president.

Receiving the guests were Miss Oliver, dressed in a blue embroidered net formal frock; Mrs. Hargrove, wearing a pink and white print bolero model and corsage of sweetpeas; Mrs. H. W. Voiers, handsome in pink embroidered lace; and Mrs. E. C. Wallace whose red moire taffeta gown was worn with fitted jacket and a corsage of blue cornflowers.

Guests were greeted by the president nd Mrs. A. L. Todd had charge of the program. Music included accordion duets played by Miss Frances Goldberg of Mercedes and Mrs. Harry Eagleston of Harlingen.

To lend further emphasis to the year's study, "The United States as seen through the eyes of Modern Writers, Mrs. E. C. Phillips of Pharr was presented in a brilliant dramatic review, "Song of the Years" by Bess Steeter Aldrich. Mrs. Phillips, who is widely known for her artistry, created the atmosphere of the story with an authentic setting of heirloom antiques and an old-fashioned costume.

The tea table, laid with a handsome lace cover, had for centerpiece an unusual star-shaped arrangement of red rosebuds in the center with white gladiolias and blue cornflowers forming the starpoints. Individual cakes iced in white and decorated with miniature stars in red, white, and blue, were served and candy nosegays were favors. The table was appointed in crystal.

Pouring were Mrs. J. Leon Hargrove and Mrs. H. W. Voiers, incoming president.

A large number of guests were present including Mrs. O. E. Stuart, Harlingen, Valley Federation president.

Dinners Form Delightful Social Events

McALLEN — Social activities in McAllen continued this week with Mrs. C. A. Marshall acting as hostess for two delightful parties.

Twenty people were dinner guests Thursday night before an evening of bridge.

Decorations for the table featured a white and red theme with white lilies, larkspur and Queen Anne's lace used artistically against a red dinner service.

Lee Green of San Juan was winner of high score prize for men and Mrs. A. J. Campbell high for women. Low prize winners were Charles Holland and Mrs. Charles Starlin while Arthur Reichert and Mrs. Lee Green took the bingo awards.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Leon Shaftstall, Mr. and Mr. Starlin, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reichert, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Hensley, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Green, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stambaugh and Mrs. Florence Dean, all of San Juan; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holland and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Campbell.

Earlier in the week Mr. and Mrs. Marshall were hosts to a dinner party at which invited guests were: Messrs. and Mesdames G. Aubrey Thomas, R. D. Cox, Bob Marstaon, Burl Stugard and Lean Shaftstall.

Bridal Shower Given For Mrs. Lawrence

RAYMONDVILLE — Among the pretty affairs of the week was the coffee and shower given by Miss Ruby Holder and Mrs. John Holder in the latter's home for Mrs. Preston Lawrence, the former Miss Eileen Haynes Tuesday evening. Roses banked the mantelpiece and filled vases about the home.

A crystal bowl of roses and gardenias graced the table laid with lace cloth of filet. Mrs. A. T. Harper presided over the coffee urn and Miss Peggy O'Neil served punch.

Others were Mrs. Mittie Haynes, mother of the honoree, Mesdames M. F. Hayes, D. M. Murdock, W. E. Arnold, B. F. Cox, W. F. Brownfield, Bill McCharen, W. F. Hardwick, H. W. Cook, Francis Roberts and Misses Caroline Duffield, Doreen Riedel, Mary Sue Hardage and Virginia Rickner.

Mrs. Ted Hudson Hostess For Bridge

SAN BENITO—Mrs. Ted Hudson entertained the Silk Stocking Club at her home Thursday afternoon. Yellow flowers decorated the rooms. A delicious dessert course was served upon the arrival of the guests.

When playing ended Mrs. Fred Thomas held high.

Members and guests playing were Mesdames Jack Ehlers, Fred Thomas, Mary Anderson Foehner, P. J. LeGuerrin, Ben Shoemaker, Paul Wright, Al Lamm and R. A. Ewing.

American Women Topic For Program

SAN BENITO—The What-To Read club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. H. G. Hanseon. "American Woman" was the subject for the afternoon. Mrs. F. L. Paschall gave an interesting talk on "Field of Fashion" and Mrs. J. P Casey discussed "In the Field of Politics. Mrs. Othel Bigham was voted back as an active member.

Mrs. Al Lamm will be reporting delegate to the Valley Federation of Women's Clubs in San Benito Tuesday. Mrs. H. V. Gordon and Mrs. George Wilson will also be delegates.

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Songsters Are Popular As Entertainers



Members of a popular McAllen high school trio, are left to right, Phyliss Jones, Mary Evelyn Leslie and Lila Beth Culwell. The girls, all of whom are members of the Sub-Deb Club, have been in popular demand to sing their lilting melodies at many of the large teas and parties given in the city. Last week they entertained a crowd at the Casa de Palmas Hotel when Mrs. A. G. Thornton and Mrs. Herbert Hamlin were hostesses for a tea. At the annual preferential Beta Sigma Phi tea Sunday at Mrs. Lala Hallock Lee's home they were also featured. All are students at the McAllen Senior High School.

Rio Grande Club Project Completed

Sum Of $730 Contributed

RIO GRANDE CITY—A total of $115.00 was deposited in the bank here Tuesday by Miss Guadalupe A. Margo, president of the Progressive Club, for the purpose of 500 feet of pipe necessary for the completion of the project to carry water to the new city cemetery located on the northwestern outskirts of the city.

According to Miss Margo, through whose active leadership the club has raised nearly $750.00 for the enterprise, Tuesday's deposit was made up of $14.00 cleared from the dance given March 31, $13.00 dues, and $88.00 collected from an electric percolator.

Work on laying the pipeline was commenced April 11 by a group of 13 N.Y.A. youths, and should be completed within a few weeks. A year ago the club purchased 3,000 feet of pipe for $614.30, Miss Margo said.

Organized on August 20, 1938, by Miss Margo, the Progressive Club has had as its sole objective the raising of funds to lay the water line to the new cemetery for the purpose of beautification. The organization has an enrollment of 30 active members.

This project, being now virtually complete, a short program was held at 9 o'clock Wednesday night at the Garmon Theatre at which Miss Margo and Judge L. R. Brooks of this city announced the work now in progress expressing appreciation to the public for generous assistance from the start.

Child Aid Reported

ALAMO—The American Legion and Auxiliary Unit No 475, met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sell on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Cramer, a teacher in the Alamo Mexican School was a guest and spoke about using excess commodities to feed underprivileged children. She said that they feed over seventy children per day. The clinic chairman reported 73 children examined at the clinic during the past month. Refreshments were served to 30.

Mrs. Carl Drennan and Mrs. Marvin Rhinehart attended a Garden Party at the College of Arts and Industries in Kingsville on Thursday.

Interesting papers on Norway were given at the meeting of the Community Ladies Aid Thursday. Mrs. Arthur Kaut gave an account of "Government and Statesmen" and Mrs. J. P. Poole read about "Resources and Industries in Norway." Miss Hulda Walden gave a piano solo and Mrs. J. C. McCreary sang two solos, accompanied by Mrs. Leonard Davis. Refreshments were served to 30 members and guests.

Circles To Meet

BROWNSVILLE—All circles of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will gather at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

New discoveries of oil in Texas represented 40 per cent of all the new oil reserves found in the entire United States in 1939.

Mrs. Espenlaud And Son Leave



Mrs. A. T. Espenlaub, (pictured at the left) a favorite in upper-Valley social circles, left Saturday with her 11 months old son, David Alvin, for their home at Newfane, N. Y. after spending the winter months at McAllen. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Thompson of San Juan and Mrs. Thompson is pictured at the right.

Week Of Parties Fete New Members Of Sub-Deb Club In City Of Palms

McALLEN—The Sub-Deb Club, composed of a group of McAllen girls of high school age, rounded out a week of entertainment for their pledges with an initiation ceremony at the Casa de Palmas Hotel at three o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Following the ritualistic initiation ceremonies, conducted in candlelight, the new members were guests of the club at a tea for which the decorations featured attractive bouquets of mixed spring flowers.

New members of the club, formed by nine young girls in September, 1938, are: Mary Gene Catlett, Joanne Bonneau, Norma Bray, Eileen Carter, Margaret Bonnycastle, Pat Bonneycastle, Mary Phillips, Virginia Barthel and Betty Crowell.

Other members include: Shirley Kyte, Bernice Atkins, Mary Evelyn Leslie, Becky Clark, Phyliss Jones, Velda Meek, Eddie Grace Coughran, Louise Fristoe, Catherine O'Neall, Maxine Coates, Lila Beth Culwell, Mary Epperson, Martha Epperson, Barbara Baltis, Marjorie Hamner, Dorothy Jean Cross, Virginia Gentry, and Betty Barbe.

Every day for the past week the new and the old members have been entertained with a different kind of party.

Friday afternoon, the sponsor, Miss Lois Honea, was hostess at her home for a tea. Lovely arrangements of spring flowers accented the pastel beauty of the tea table.

A garden party Thursday afternoon saw a bevy of girls at Bernice Atkins' home. Their frocks were simple afternoon numbers with long, full skirts.

All the group went to the theatre Wednesday afternoon after which they were supper guests at Shirley Kyte's home.

Members of the Escorts Club, a group of high school boys, were guests Tuesday night when the girls entertained at the home of Barbara Baltis. The dance was a "sport" affair to which everyone wore smart sports frocks.

Opening the week's parties was a buffet supper for which Louise Fristoe was hostess.

Leader



Mrs. E. C. Wallace, La Feria served as corresponding secretary for 10th District P.-T. A. which ended the annual spring conference in Laredo the past week. Mrs. Wallace is active in club, gardening, and church cir-

Honored



Patsy Jean Liles was honored with a gay birthday party last week at her home when classmates were entertained with a theatre and slumber party and birthday breakfast Saturday. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Blake Liles of Pharr.

To Give Playlet

ALAMO—Circles two and four of the Community Church Ladies Aid will give a musical playlet on Friday evening, April 26, at the church, entitled "Grandmother's Rose Garden." Everyone is invited.

President Rutherford B. Hays was a posthumous child.

Guest Day Tea Held By Club

About 100 Attend Brownsville Affair

BROWNSVILLE—About one hundred guests attended the annual guest day event of the Brownsville Study club Thursday afternoon at the Woman's club between the hours of 4 and 6 o'clock.

Greeting guests at the door was Mrs. Sam D. Hughston, who wore a frock of rose lace. Mrs. Sam L. Lockwood, in black brocaded taffeta, was in charge of the guest register. Receiving at the enjoyable affair were Mrs. J. Harrison Diltz, especially pretty in a gown of a blue silk marquisette, worn with a jacket, and Mrs. Leo Nolan, in a becoming gown of aqua lace with burgundy lace trim.

About the rooms were pretty bouquets of varied spring flowers. Assisting in hostess duties were Mrs. J. A. Walker, in white chiffon made along empire lines, with trim of rose velvet ribbon; Mrs. Charles C. Stewart, blue crepe; Mrs. Harry L. Faulk, navy blue; Mrs. Joe Wheeler, in black chiffon with an accordion pleated skirt; Mrs. Joe Ingram, black crepe; Mrs. B. B. McDonald, in a navy blue frock with white dots, worn with a jacket of azalea rose.

In the dining room, the tea table was one of the prettiest and most unusual noted this spring. Centering the table, laid with lace, was an old-fashioned bouquet of red and white roses, finished with the lace paper frill, and tied with red and white ribbon streamers. Surrounding this large bouquet were four smaller bouquets made in identical fashion, and tall hurricane lamps holding white tapers and small hurricane lamps holding red tapers.

On the buffet was an especially pretty arrangement of a variety of spring flowers and fern, flanked by white tapers in crystal holders.

Presiding at the table in alternate periods were Mrs. Harman B. Jeffery, in wine colored crepe; Mrs. C. L. Parnell, in flowered pique; Mrs. Rolan McKee, in a tailored frock of yellow and white pique; Mrs. Robert E. Green, in gold colored taffeta with drop-shouldered decolletage. Assisting in the dining rooms were Mrs. L. C. Fife, who wore a white lace, made on tailored lines; and Mrs. R. R. Fife, whose gown was a flowered batiste. All members of the house party wore corsages of spring flowers in colors to harmonize with their frocks.

Valley Woman Heads State D. A. R.



President and corresponding secretary for the Texas Society of the Daughters of the Revolution, are Valley women included in the group photographed at their recent installation at Denton, and presented above. Reading left to right are Mrs. Frank G. Trau, Sherman, recording secretary, Mrs. Gus L. Ford, Lubbock, first vice regent; Mrs. Edwin Stanton Lammers, Alamo, state regent, Mrs. George T. Spears, Graham, second vice regent; Mrs. Walter H. Fendley, Corsicana, state registrar, Mrs. Joseph R. Carmal, San Antonio, state chaplain; Mrs. Julian Oppenheimer, Ft. Worth, state librarian; Mrs. Walter G. Dick, Columbus, state historian; Mrs. Henry Stallings, Brownwood, state curator; Mrs. Maurice Clark Turner, Dallas, parliamentarian; Mrs. E. R. Barrow, Houston, state treasurer; and Mrs. Beatrice Drake Frase, Donna, state corresponding secretary. Mrs. Lammers is now in Washington attending the Continental Congress, national meeting of the D. A. R.'s.

Pretty Afternoon Tea Given In San Benito For Graduating Senior

SAN BENITO—Ann Stanley was hostess and Jean Brady, girl graduate, was honoree, for one of the most attractive of the pre-commencement parties Saturday afternoon given at the home of the hostess' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Stanley. Spring formal frocks worn by the young girls in the house party and the pastels chosen by the throng of guests blended with the delicate flower colors afforded by lavish floral arrangements throughout the home.

Miss Stanley's floor length dress was powder blue and Miss Brady wore rose silk printed in white. Mrs. Stanley was attired in green and white chiffon, Mrs. Ed Brady chose black marquisette with white lingerie blouse. Mrs. Tom Marchbanks was in dark blue marquisette and Mrs. C. L. Jones was wearing aqua taffeta.

Other members of the house party included Sarita Glenn, whose dress of green organdy was trimmed with white lace, Robbie Weatherly wearing pink marquisette with satin stripe, Charlene Jones in aqua marquisette, Katherine Ballenger, whose frock was of powder blue organdy, Martha Plahn wearing powder blue taffeta blouse with net skirt in a matching shade, Virginia Alewine attired in lavender batiste, and Blanche Gilbert whose floral striped organza was a replica of a colonial model. Each wore corsages of blossoms in purple and yellow to denote the high school colors.

Yellow and orchid blossoms were chosen for the pretty tea table which was laid with lace and appointed with crystal and silver.

Talisman roses and blossoms in lavender and purple were massed effectively throughout the rooms to make a delightful environment for the affair.

The guest list included: Mildred Harris, Darlene Lawson, Dorothy Dodds, Lois Lovett, Doris Ogden, Jean Hagar, Tad Brown, Rosemary Atkins, Bonnie Lou Bryant, Ruth Ann Willis, Gladys Parker, Frances Smith, Doris Gilbert, Helen Hagadorn, Betty Ann Higgins, Miriam Monger, Marilyn Smith, Betty Brown, Jane Titus, Virginia Stovall, Leatha Mae Kyser, Edith Wittenbach, Jane Pritchett, Jeanette Kinny, Peggy Wilmeth, Virginia Warlick, Frances Phillips, Eleanor Thompson, Doris Hiedland, Betty Mae Smith, Joyce Littlepage, Evelyn Kennemer, Sadie Lu Davidson, Madelyn Valentine, Dorothy Garten, Frieda Snieder, Harriett Morgan, Dorothy Barber, Doris Andrews and Evelyn Klepland, San Benito.

Gretchen Bowen, Jo Ella Burghart, Dan Atteberry, June Martin, Lorraine Schaeffer and Jean Kirkpatrick, Mercedes. Jean Stone, Sue Peery, Rosemary Richardson, Elizabeth Holcomb, Peggy Crixwell, Beth Lupton and Jean Wells, Brownsville. Joyce Gregory, Jean Smiley, Freddie Jackson and Clemintine Baker, Harlingen.

Calendar

ALAMO

MONDAY

7:30—Rainbow for Girls.

TUESDAY

3:00—Women's Missionary Society Circles.

WEDNESDAY

2:30—South Morningside Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. T. A. Craig.

2:30—*North Alamo Sunshine Club.*

THURSDAY

2:30—Mrs. Allen Cox will be hostess to the Sorosis Club.

2:30—Lutherean Ladies Aid.

FRIDAY

8:00—Musical playet at the Community Church, "Grandmother's Rose Garden."

Club To Meet

LA FERIA — The Garden Club will meet at the club house Monday, April 22, for the monthly social meeting. Mrs. L. R. Murphy will be in charge of the program on sky gardens.

Oil taxes for the past 18 years have averaged three times the earnings of the oil companies.

Bridge-Tea Is Birthday Fete

McALLEN—Mrs. J. A. Harris was the recipient of many gifts from friends who attended the bridge tea which her daughter, Miss Rachel Harris, and Mrs. P. M. Perkins gave at the latter's home this week.

Pink rosebuds and gladioli, Mrs. Harris' favorite flowers, were used to decorate the house throughout.

Mrs. A. G. Jury won high prize for the afternoon's bridge games and Mrs. Anna McCray, low.

At tea time refreshments were served in the dining room. Here the table was prettily decorated with fern and Queen Anne's lace. Mrs. Harris served the large embossed birthday candlelighted cake while her daughter presided at the punch bowl.

Class And Teacher Honored By Outing

LOS FRESNOS—Mrs. Leon Hinkley entertained Wednesday afternoon with a wiener roast for members of the third grade and their teacher, Mrs. G. C. Parrish.

President were Evelyn Warren, Jimmy McLeaish, Eulalia Mares, Patsy Sanders, Evelon Watson, Edith Faye Chambers, Bobby Bland, Hartzill Brown, Lester Nicole, Marjorie and Jimmy Hinkley, Pauline Stokes, Jerrel Bland, Shirley Ann Oliver, William Lee Moses, Lydia Gomez, Eustacio Escalante, Grover Greer, Gloria Gonzales, Patty Bearden, Frank Greer, Helen Jane Grabowski, Irma Lee Stout, Harry Jack Graybill and Mateo Vegas.

Sioux Indian Woman To Be Auxiliary Talker

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Laura Woodlock, of Martin, South Dakota, a visitor here, will be the main speaker at the regular Monday afternoon meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of the Advent (Episcopal).

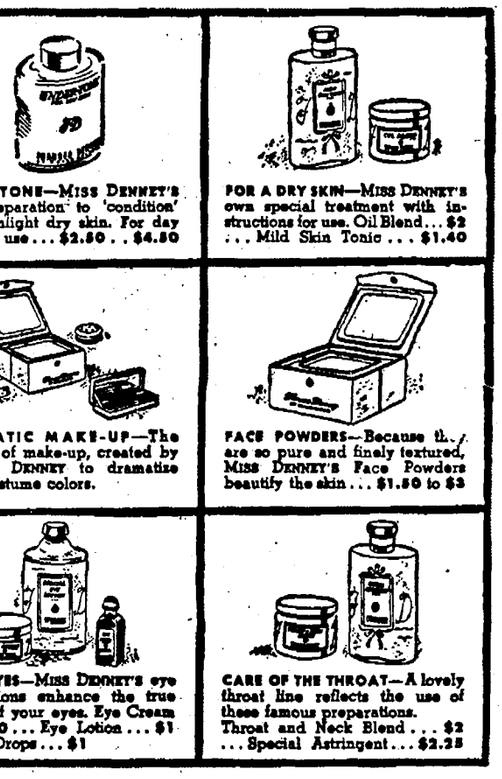
Mrs. Woodlock, full blood Sioux, will address the members on the Indian church in that section of the country.

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Garden Club Pilgrimage In Willacy

Bourne Home Point Of Interest

RAYMONDVILLE—A pilgrimage full of delightful interest to nature lovers was made by the Raymondville Garden Club members on Thursday afternoon. Leaving the club house at two o'clock the motorcade went to the home of Mrs. B. O. Bourne where visitors were joined by delegations from the Santa Rosa and the Lyford clubs. Together they studied the professionally landscaped gardens where natives and other shrubs were beautifully blended.

Keen interest was shown in the fine gardenia garden, the profusion of fuchsia and tangerine bougainvillea, the fig vine from which cuttings were given and the large bed of double petunias.

Fruit punch was served on the lawn following the study.

The approach to Mrs. Robert Ray's charming garden was down an avenue of pink and white oleanders. Mrs. Ray did her own landscaping using native shrubbery almost entirely. Each shrub bore a typed label bearing the name of the plant to make it easier for the visitors to remember.

The orchid tree, the wild holly and japonica trees claimed special attention; and the rose garden, the single orchid rose "Dainty Bess" called forth exclamations of delight.

Shade was held responsible for the unusual growth of many of the plants and shrubs.

In the diningroom Mrs. Ray served cooling punch and sweet with unsweetened wafers from a table gay in Mexican woven cloth and a globe bowl of yellow nasturtiums. She was assisted by Mrs. William Bradberry, Mrs. Elton Ray and Mrs. John Lockhart.

About 40 garden lovers made the pilgrimage.

GOP Women Hold Parley

DONNA—Mrs. Beatrice D. Frase presided over a delightful organization meeting of the Republican Women's Club of Hidalgo County at the Casa de Palmas in McAllen this week. The tables were laid in pastel shaded linen and trimmed with spring flowers.

Mrs. Lena Gay Moore of Brownsville was guest speaker. As Republican National Committee Woman she spoke of organizing women in politics. It was decided to have short, snappy meetings, opening and closing very promptly.

On April 29, the next luncheon will be given over to perfecting a permanent organization and electing permanent officers.

All Republican women in the county are most cordially invited to this meeting.

Mrs. Frase goes to Corpus Christi early in the week to perfect a similar organization.

VISIT MOTHER

ALAMO—Mr. and Mrs. John Burkhart are visiting at Des Moines, Iowa, Mrs. Ester Loyd, mother of Mrs. Burkhart, returned to her home there after spending the winter here.

Valley Girls In Bit And Spur Show



AUSTIN—Horsewomen who have proven their proficiency are the members of Bit and Spur, coed riding club at the University of Texas, which will give its tenth annual horse show April 27. Club members pictured are:

Inserts: top left—Winifred Small jumping her horse Robin; top right — Virginia Gibson jumping Close Relation owned by Biltmore Stable, Austin; bottom left—Mary Neil Ward riding Black Gold owned by Harry Hartman of Austin; bottom right—Mary Lee Kenley riding Sorry Rio owned by Eugene Lang of Gonzales.

Front row, seated (left to right): Norma Hodge of El Paso, Luella Kenley of Austin, Margo Littlejohn of Marshall, Janet Long of Austin.

Second row (left to right): Mrs. R. D. Henderson of Austin, sponsor, Jane Jarvis of Troup, Virginia Gibson of Dallas, Billie McLeod of Dallas, Mary Neil Ward of Austin, Pattie Mae Dodson of Woodsboro, Betty Slaughter of Austin, Frank Kelly of Houston, Peggy Hilliard of Marshall.

Third row (left to right): Agnes East of Austin, Alpha Mae Stone of Amarillo, Ginger Kent of Dallas, Mary Lee Kenley of Austin, Winifred Small of Amarillo, Helene Woody of Pharr, Sarah Shidler of San Benito, and Doris Simmang of San Antonio.

Wesley Class Entertained

LA FERIA—Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. A. F. Anderson and Mrs. Ray Foncannon were hostesses to the Susannah Wesley class of the Methodist church when they met at the annex Thursday the 18th. It had been decided to have a tacky party and the costumes were most original and showed how the class could play as well as attend to more serious matters.

Mrs. John K. Collins, the president, was in the chair for the short business session. Mrs. Routon lead the devotional.

The social and entertainment was in charge of Mrs. M. J. Waldort and Mrs. A. J. Pope who led off with a duet. Mrs. J. M. Lancaster, Mrs. Pearl Moet, Mrs. M. L. Jones and Mrs. J. K. Collins, with Miss Nora Petersen at the piano, sang a quartet, "In the Good Old Summer Time." Mrs. Moet making the presentation speech gave Mrs. Collins a beautiful crystal cake dish and vase, a birthday gift from the class. Then Mrs. Moet sang a solo, "Oh Billy, Oh Billy, How You Can Love."

Three guests, Mrs. Petersen, Mrs. Hetherington and Mrs. McDonald acted as judges while the ladies modeled their costumes. Honorable mention was given Mrs. Moet for the most amusing and dignified costume.

The hostesses served a delicious refreshment plate to the 35 members and following guests, Mrs. Clark Hetherington of Galveston, Mrs. Lila McDonald, Mrs. James Petersen, Miss Nora Petersen and Mary James.

Honor Roll Announcements

PHARR-SAN JUAN-ALAMO

PHARR—Pharr-San Juan-Alamo public schools honor rolls for the fifth six weeks were released here Friday by Schools Superintendent J. Lee Stambaugh are as follows:

First Grade: Max Stiers, Jimmy Vaughn, Jimmy Lackey, Jerry Walton, J. D. Hofer, Frank Bradley, Patsy Jean Johnson, Clarence Cameron, Audrey Spencer, Lucille Eastwood, Virgie Summy, Helen Lounge, Billy Utzman, Ellen Henke, Mary Alice McGhee, Joann Walton, Frances Busch, Fay Woods, Melvin O'Measley, Carol Lee Cole, Dolores DeWitt, Bonnie Lou Smith, Calvin Cilley, Gene Deckard, Jackie Fowler, Eddie Faulkner, Mary Lou Williams, Patricia Hodgson, Patsy Brewer, Samuel Perez, Juan Sola, Ramiro Rivera, Raquel Garza, Barbara Marez, Paulita Tijerina, Julia Navarro, Solidad Pena, Lupe Commacho, Lupe Hernandez, Elisa Garza, Rebecca Camarillo, Jesue Gomez, Natividad Mendoza, Miguel Tamez, Eugene Mendoza, Magdalena Ramos, Dora Lopez, Viola Ramirez, Elida Salinas, Olivia Sanchez, Ismael Martinez, Adelardo Gonzales, Ramon Camarillo, Bella Elozondo, Dolores Landes, Paula Campos, Elida Hernandez, Maria Montalvo, Julia Pena, Olivia Cruz, Emiliano Castellano, Antonio Perez, Audomaro Sandoval, Ercilla Flores, Julia Rivera, Corina Watts, Luisa Garza, Paul Scoto, Augistine Gauno, Julia Morin, Jesus Barbosa, Isaura Saenez, Rebecca Garza, Emma Pena, Hortensia Espinosa, Librada Vasque, Ciro Gomez, Pablo Cantu, Tomas Castillo, Jose Leal, Reynaldo Cantu, Manuel Rodriguez, Maria Diola Cantu, Homero Trevino, Maria Rodriguez, Jose Martinez, Rebecca de la Paz, Benita Gonzales, Francisco Villanueva, Ernesto Hernandez.

Second Grade: Howard Nielson, Bill Roach, Betty Jo Martin, Sydna Swatlow, Betty Lou Varenkamp, Phyllis Wikoff, Maxine McDonald, Wilma Lois Reichert, Shirley Reichert, Jane Schaffer, Margaret Motley, Jimmie Barber, Billy Gene Tanner, Jetty Hilbern, Dorothy Spaulding, Margaret Rollins, Lois Collis, Aldophine Andrews, Bobby Goodey, Joyce Conquest, Norma Jewel Nelson, Geraldine Gordon, Dorothy Schulze, Earl Caldwell, Jr., Josefina Ventura, Minerva Mirelez, Aurelio Serda, Lupe Hernandez, Lena Puentes, Sofia Rodriguez, Rafael Gonzeles, Macedonia Balli, Osca Elizondo, Robert Garcia, Ben Guzjardo, David Longoria, Abel Pena, Natividad Rodriguez, Candelario Martinez, Mary Imedia, Maria Luisa Sanchez, Maria Berta Garza, Delia Salinas, Amelia Hinojosa, Anasticia Ureste, Santiago Flores, Louisa Guerra, Angelica Gonzeles, Nora Ramirez, Rose Rios, Carmen Zamarpia, Christina Cantu, Sarita Jimenez, Maria Alicia Ramos, Amelia Rivera, Elizabeth Bernal, Sara Martinez, Edubiyez Garcia, Maria Perez, Marcelio Ramirez, Sella Sanchez, Lupe Zuniga, Bortolo Landes, Joel Saenz, Benito Saures, Fidencio Barreram Florencia Barrera.

Third Grade: Merlyn Koch, Bobby Lemen, Tommy Reichert, Dennis Riddle, Barbara Ann Cramer, Bernice Faulkner, Beulah Graham, Ada Lee Schaffer, Rose Lee Holmgren, Patricia Perkins, Helen Nielson, Niel Chestnutt, Joann Coats, Jimmy Davis, Yvonne Helmsoth, Alice Gawlik, Panchita Mitchell, Eugene Walthall, Virginia Spencer, Bobby Linnard, Mary Bernice Taylor, Martha Stephens, Alford Summy, Regina Schibi, Sue Farris, Fellow Farris, Jerry Stover, Helen Wilks, Betty June Polk, Mollie Slate, Rafeal Rivires, Armando Elizondo, Victor Martinez, Nieves Canales, Conception Castillo, Portina Cortez, Jose Maria Anzaloa, Josefa Gomez, Paulina Leal, Margarita Salinas, Julia Gonzales, Cristina Elizondo, Albesa Villareal, Guadalupe Reyna, Sara Villanueva, Rafaela Gonzalnes.

Fourth Grade: Clement Williams, Billy Cox, Howard Smith, Tommy Weekly, Vernell Rhinehart, D. M. Watts, Frances Deering, Ena Mae Spaulding, Beulah Hodge, Lois Jean Garfield, Ione Ayers, Leck Burchfield, Betty Lou Stotu, Maxine Woods, Dick Hunt, Mary Alice Florez, Espiridion Ribres, Serfina Garcia, Eliseo Salinas, Romeo Escabor, Raul Rutledge, Katherine Coronado, Nellie Pantell, Margarita Pruneda, Juan Yranez, Herminia Garcia, Maria Landez, Jose Anzaldua, Ignacia Espinosa, Estefane Canales, Telma Garcia, Evelia Guerra, Juanita Martinez, Corina Saenz, Corrine Serna, Ramon de la Paz.

Fifth Grade: John Huser, Yvonne Field, Patsy Jean Liles, Mildred Holveck, Barney Edmonson, George Houston, Shirley Laddel, Belva Jean Norman, Horace Stiers, Donald Lee Barber, Glynn Riechert, J. Lawton Stone, Doris Ruby, Rita Satterlee, Mary Van Huss, Patty Johnson, Beulah Smith, Erasmo Benavides, Reuben Escobar, Lupe Solis, Armandina Martinez, Elva Salinas, Rafaela Salinas, Raul Guajardo, Josefina Rios, Ofilia Serna.

Sixth Grade: Henry Pate, Lucille Smith, J. T. ePnick, Bobbie Lee Caperton, Gordon Pierce, Minta Petitt, Neala Ricks, Junior Smith, Mary Ann Thier, Gene Darby, Eugene Foreman, Jimmy Linnard, Leland McCullough, Mary Carolyn Andrews, Barbara Ann Bailey, Erlina Cole, Maxine McLendon, Cynthia Pritchard, Florence Scott, Patricia Wilkinson, Frances Guerra, Emma Martinez, Amparo Salinas, Evangelina Martinez, Ernestina Martinez, Martina Medina, Pablo Teran, Elva Farias, Mary Luisa Villegas, Ellie Contreras.

Seventh Grade: Jane McCullough, Jeanne Brittan, Richia Atkinson, James Ray Lewis, Ralph Nettleton, Betty Jo Patton, Mary Ann Golightly, Joe Cox, Jody DeVries, Ralph Koch, Rosalie Carrothers, Shelly Conquest, Neva Mae Harlow, Helen Hill, Josephine Taylor, Dan Cantu, Aurora Contreras, Humbelina Garcia, Betty Jewel Carrothers, Lorraine Hansen, Josephine Scott, Juanita Ehlers, Deanie Hodge, Helen Little, Eva Mae Tanner.

Eighth Grade: Rex Barritt, Billy Lemen, Louise Edwards, Bonnie Joyce Linn, Gwendolyn O'Neil, Jacqueline Stone, Frances Ann Tillotson, Shirley Roberts, Dorris Mae Heron, Dorothy Gamble, Ruth DeShazo, Joann Carter, Armando Gomez, Forrest Pitch, Helen Ciknek, Selma Sorenson, Edith Pierce, Vernis LeFever, Robert Risinger, Donna Lee Young, Geo. Bright, Veeda Joyner, Gladys Mae Park.

Ninth Grade: Bobby Maurer, Alberta Platt, Jo-Ed Nusbaum, Fred Rueckling, Russell Linnard, Jackie Barnes, Bobby Mountz, J. Lee Stambaugh, Pauline Bennett, Malloy Chappell, Mildred Damron, Jayne Rhinehart, Helen Walked, Velda Mae Wilks, Lloyd Varenkamp.

Tenth Grade: Rosemary Waters, Betty Jo Watts, Ruth Thier, Frances Thomason, Margaret Sacra, Wilma Ruth Muir, Katheryne McCurry, Joy Levens, Virginia Mae Maddux, Dorothy Faye Mosley, Sylvia Lea Jones, Mary Claire Gossage, Bernice Baden, Marjorie Jolene Brittan, Paul Flowers, Milford Koch, Leslie Linnard, Forrest Palmer, Eugene Perkins, Belva Jean Norton, Frances Pfeifer, Antonio Rodriguez, Janet Wendel, Helen Becker.

Eleventh Grade: Joe Donald Bowen, Erwin Kelley, Billy Mountz, Billy York, Lorene Dreibelbis, Charlotte Martines, Sybil Pritchard, George Larsen, Dorothy Linnard, Geo. Fleming, Frank O'Neil, Ruth Bolling, Lois Cowley, Frances Cron, Mary Louise Kestler, Glenn Mannering, Ella Beth Melton, Betty Platt, Esther Quintanilla, Jeanette Van Denbark, Geraldine Welch.

RIO HONDO

RIO HONDO—The honor roll for the second six weeks of the second semester has been announced by Mrs. Key Merchant, principal of the junior high and high school of the Rio Hondo schools. Seniors: Katherine Bingham, Betty Petras, Norman Whisenant, Thelma Bandy, Mildred Bertram; Juniors: Mary Charlotte Field, Peggy Jean Autry, Esta Barker, Dorothy Hatch, Wesley Ply, Paul Christley; Sophomores: Janet Christley, Dorothy Bertram, Frances Bates, Robert LeRoy; Freshmen: Mary Carden, Helen Douglas, Buffy Field, Helen Hatch, Carol Howland, Laverne Jones, Jamie T. Knight, Wanda Porter, Tomacita Manciaz, Betty Ruth Bradshaw, Calvin Bishop, Deane Broizman, Jimmie Meyer, Ralph Ruiz; Seventh Grade: Dwain Estes, Edward Foelker, Henry Hartzog, Junior Herrington, Robert Scoggins, Dorothy Scoggins, Anna Marie Cholik, Maxine Foelker, Margaret Jo Goode, Dorothy Ann Kuhn, Marjorie Lewis, Violet Norman; Sixth Grade, Section 1: Johnny Canville, Lloyd Broizman, Evelyn Hule, Mary Ann Hatch, Helen Dykes, Dorothy Cohea, Janie Lee Caffall, Evelyn Bertram, Betty Lou Barker; Sixth Grade, Section 11; Margret Mace, Evelyn Pena, Leticia Pena, Ruth Pickens; Fifth Grade: Maybelle Foelker, Shirley Hatch, Margie Herrington, Roxie Knight, Joyce Pratt, Betty Stewart, Billie Mae Toland, Francis Wick, Charles Christley, Weldon Estes, Marvin Howland, Darrell Kirkendall, Eddie Jo Kuhn, Richard Lang, David LeRoy, Cleo Lumpkins, Glenn Raska, Hugh Warner, Lawrence Watkins, Terry Wick.

SHARYLAND

SHARYLAND—Two classifcations are made in the honor roll students listed in the roll released this week by A. D. Smith, superintendent of Sharyland schools, for grades made during the fifth grade period of the school term. "Gilt edge" and honor roll students are named in the list. The complete roll includes:

First Grade: Henry Schultz, Syvia Ann Bokor, Sylvia Kramer, Jerline Dewald, Clarice Scott, Second Grade: Edna Barnes, Betty Ellen Bentsen, G. C. Carlile, Charles Coble, Lynne Kjelde, Patsy Vaughn. Third Grade: Loeen Bushman, Donald Lance, Lois Illene Morgan, Geraldine Stanley.

Fourth Grade: "gilt edge": Margaret Jean Block, Frances Mary Vaughn, Carol Kramer, Richard Wolfrum Dempsey Lance, Joan Sloan, Laverne Gills, Sara Hatley. Fourth Grade: Delroy Wilems, Violet Morgan, Betty Claire Hooks, George Slay, Joyce Sargent.

Sixth Grade: Leroy Vaughn (gilt edge), Emma Lou Lance, Olin Brashear, Alan Norton, Cooper Slay. Seventh Grade: Thelma Pearce (gilt edge), Ruth Hooks, Ila Mae Horn, Alice Quintanilla, Eva Cavazos.

Eighth Grade: Charles Knadle, Doris Ewaldm Alla Dean Carlile, (gilt edge), Marjorie Roszow, (gilt edge), Helen Sloan, (gilt edge).

Ninth Grade: Irma Lee Block, Marian Bokor, Mary Alice Block, Lois Gully, Harriet Hewitt, Grace Guess, Virginia Moore, (gilt edge), Martha Rumbel (gilt edge), Dale Norton.

Tenth Grade: Paul Schmidt, Jeanne Rightor, Billy Jane Wolrum, Lanelle Brown. Eleventh Grade: Leland Anderson, Geraldine Kennedy, Claudine Kennedy, Eileen Anderson, Ruth Bremer, Ruby Bremer, Edelmiro Garza, Edwin Borman, Dorothy Morgan, Lois Wilson, Alice Ardeen Bridges (gilt edge).

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Tri-City Pupils Hold 'Round-Up'

PHARR—"The Last Round Up" was the theme used for the Junior-Senior banquet of the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo high school, which marked the Upper Valley's social calendar Saturday evening when the Junior-Senior students assembled in the Palm and Spanish rooms of the Casa de Palmas Hotel in McAllen, for their last round up number.

In keeping with the theme, the rooms were uniquely decorated with real saddles, boots, spurs, cowboy hats and lariats, with arrangements of cactus and other native Valley plants adding a more realistic atmosphere and suggestive of a dude ranch setting.

The long tables were centered with pots of cactus placed full length at intervals, while miniature saddles, boots and lariats were used for place markers and favors.

Further emphasis were given the theme in the program which consisted of "Cowboy" songs and talks as follows: "Home On The Range," in unison, "Greetings" by the foreman, Robert Allen Evans, president of the junior class. Responsive talk by Tommy Flowers; "When the Bloom Is On the Sage," accordion solo, by Virginia Mae Maddux; "Bushwhacking"—looking back over the athletics of the year, by George Fleming; "My Little Buckaroo," vocal number by the Ranch girls, composed of P.S.J.A. juniors; "Riding the Range"—looking over other activities of the year, by Alta Marie Smith; "Branding"—a serious farewell talk on actions in life, by Mrs. Charles T. Decker; "There's An Empty Saddle In the Bunk House Tonight," sung in unison by the entire group, and closed the program which was followed by dancing in the Spanish rooms, with music furnished by Lyle Grace's ten-piece orchestra. Approximately 200 were in attendance for the banquet, consisting of juniors, seniors the high school faculty and retiring and incoming school board members.

Missionary Group Meets In Pharr

SAN JUAN—The Missionary group of the Dorcas Society met at the home of Mrs. Walter Good Thursday afternoon. Mrs. N. D. Meeker was in charge of the devotionals and Mrs. J. Beaty Smith gave the lesson which included a study of the Chinese Women Religious Lives.

Mrs. Carl Motley, Mrs. Paul Hetrick and Mrs. Dwight Cilley served refreshments to Mesdames John Zipp, C. Elliot, Armour Moore, J. Beaty Smith, J. E. Dodson, O. H. Stugard, R. E. Williams, Chet Warner, F. Schafroth, H. L. McCombs, Alfred Sorensen, W. A. DeMange, Meeker, Clifford Ruby, W. G. Rice, A. B. Cron and the hostess.

Slumber Party To Be Port Event

PORT ISABEL—Plans for a slumber party were completed at the Sub-Deb meeting at the home of Katherine Williams here Thursday afternoon, April 18. The meeting was opened by President Johnnie Marie Schmidt, the minutes read by the secretary, and the treasurer's report made. Followed a discussion on joining the Literary Guild.

It was also decided that the week-end of April 27 and 28 was to be spent at the home of Katherine Williams. All plan to go to church on Sunday morning and spend the rest of the day "meandering" around the countryside. The meeting was adjourned and cookies, "Smacks" and cocoa were served.

Garden Pictures Are Shown Club

ALAMO—Mrs. W. H. Hall of Harlingen showed some beautiful pictures of gardens that she has taken over the state at the meeting of the Garden Club on Tuesday, Mrs. T. C. Downs, president, named Mrs. C. U. Reed to represent the club on the committee being appointed by the civic clubs of the city to take care of the clean up of vacant lots. She also named a committee to help the Band Mothers at their carnival to be held the last of the month.

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ALAMO—Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Whalen entertained their bridge club on Thursday evening. The members and guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Kasper Bergeme of Mission, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Swallow, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Cowley, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Davis, Mrs. S. E. Hart of New York City. Mrs. Wagner and G. L. Cowley held high score. The hostess served a salad course.

Raymondville Church Meets Thursday

RAYMONDVILLE — The Alice Ayers class of the Methodist church met with Mrs. F. E. Fisher at her home on Thursday afternoon.

Following business Mrs. Gerald Sensabough, accompanied by Mrs. B. S. Wright gave two musical readings: "Foolish Questions" and "Lilac Tree." As a reading she gave "The Glory Road."

Mrs. Wright pleased the guests with "Rustle of Spring" and "Moonlight Sonata."

The hostess used the vivid blooming cacti as colorful decorations.

Hot punch and sandwiches were served to about 25 members.

Donna Students Honor Teacher

DONNA—Thursday afternoon at four-thirty, thirty-six members of the fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh grades of the Donna schools and one mother, Mrs. Clifford Jester, gathered at the home of one of their teachers, Miss Sally Weaver, for a second meeting looking towards the permanent organization of a Girl Scout Troop.

The girls elected Joan Muckleroy president, decided upon Thursday at four as their regular meeting hour and reported a delightful hike and outdoor breakfast at six o'clock last Saturday with Mrs. Gayle Martin as assistant chaperone. Mrs. Jester, her daughters, Mary Louise and June Marie, and Dorothy Wheelock served the refreshments of punch and pretzels.

Band Mothers Plan Concert In McAllen

McALLEN—Upper Valley music and art enthusiasts will have the opportunity Tuesday, April 30, of hearing and seeing an unusual array of Valley talent at the show the McAllen Band Mothers Club will sponsor at the McAllen Junior High School auditorium.

Members of the club will meet Monday at 4 p.m. at the school auditorium to make final plays for the presentation of the "All Valley Talent Program," staged by Moulton (Ty) Cobb of Weslaco.

The program and those participating, chosen by Mr. Cobb, will be announced later, Mrs. T. W. Mahone, president of the Band Mothers said.

Preceding the talent program will be the presentation of the prize winning McAllen high school band in a concert.

Thirtieth Anniversary Honored In Alamo

ALAMO—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lenser were surprised by friends on their thirtieth anniversary. The evening was spent in playing games of forty-two. Mrs. Elser and E. J. Dube receiving high scores. Lunch was served to the following: Rev. and Mrs. Elser and family, E. J. Dube, Herbert Dube and family, R. Schrader and family, Elmer Mesenbring of McAllen, Ernest Biewener, John Benet of Pharr, Oscar Shultz, Henry Shultz, Carl Swantz, Mrs. Lindenburg, Arthur Kramer of Sharyland and Mrs. Minnie Erdman of Watertown, S. D.

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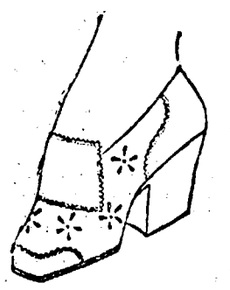
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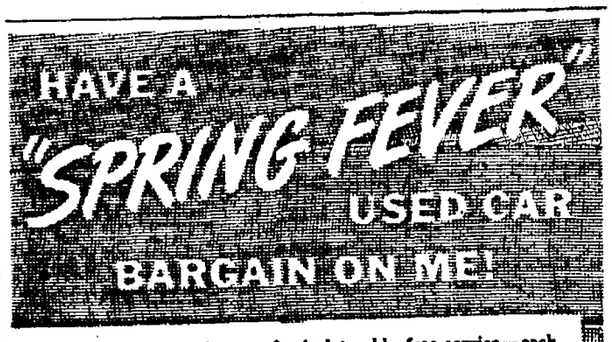
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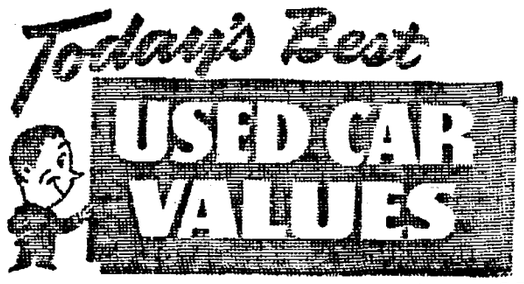
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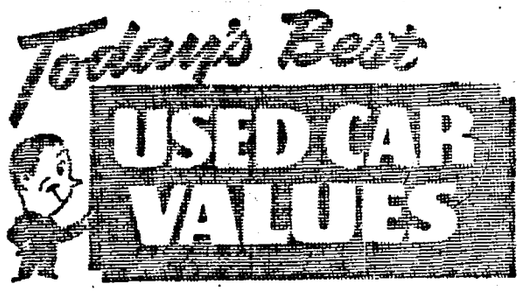
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No. 6 South 16th St. McAllen Phone 825

10. FOR SALE

10c. For Sale, Misc.

For Sale
At Bargain Prices

New Elevator Potato Diggers.
Landis No. 3 Harness Machine.
John Deere Tractor with Equipment.
Portable Houses, 8x14 and 8x10.
36x50 Corrugated Iron Warehouse.
Folding House Trailer, not mounted.
Baled Alfalfa and Corn.

PHILLIPS
LUMBER YARD
San Benito, Texas

10d. Boats, Accessories

EIGHT HORSE Out-Board Motor. Needs connecting rod. Sell for $10.00. H. P. Jordon, Combes.

10e. Radio Repairs, Equip.

RADIO SERVICE: Free inspection, satisfaction guaranteed. Phil Amsler, 2123 17th street, Victoria Heights, Phone 178, Brownsville.

10h. Machinery, Equipment

Two Real Buys

Oliver "70" with new motor, lights, starter, complete with two-row equipment.

Farmall complete with two-row equipment.

Both Can Be
Bought Right

GUY LEGGETT
IMPLEMENT CO.
209 W. Harrison Phone 63
Harlingen

11. LIVESTOCK

11a. Dogs, Cats, Pets

FOR SALE: Black, thoroughbred Pekingese dog, four months old, $15.00. Hotel Montezuma, room 4, Matamoros.

11c. Poultry, Supplies

LARGEST PRODUCTION sexed pullets and males and R.O.P. sired chicks in southwest. Prices no higher than for common chicks. R.O.P. sires out of 232-312 egg hens. Catalog Free. DIXIE POULTRY FARMS, Box 204, Brenham, Texas.

BABY CHICKS: Started chicks. All from blood-tested stock of high vitality. Only hatchery in the Valley with trap nest breeding farm. FISHER POULTRY FARM AND HATCHERY, Raymondville.

12. WANTED TO BUY

12a. Miscellaneous

WANTED: House trailer. Will pay cash. Prefer 12 or 14 foot. Write Box C-94, Monitor, McAllen.

12b. Let's Swap

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Tractor and automobile agency, Parts Parts Bins. Office equipment, well equipped shop doing good business. Take improved land or other trade for part. Box B-127, Star, Harlingen

12. WANTED TO BUY

12b. Let's Swap

HOUSE TRAILER to sleep four, month of June. Might swap use of country home for same. Box XX, Brownsville Herald, Brownsville.

NEED 1-3 to 1-2 carat diamond at once. Must be bargain. Box B-131 care of Star.

14. RENTALS

14a. Apartments

SUMMER COMFORT—Deluxe cottage for two. Furnished. Phone 867, Harlingen.

SMALL APARTMENT: Private bath, with or without Frigidaire. Innerspring mattress. All bills paid. 302 East Harrison, Harlingen.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED apartments, houses. Desirable bedrooms. Listings appreciated. Mrs. J. L. Swann, phone 1169-W. Harlingen.

COOL, FURNISHED, 4-room apartment, third floor. Utilities paid. Mrs. L. D. Jones, telephone 734, Brownsville.

LARGE, COOL, newly furnished apartment with Venetian blinds. Utilities paid. 1842 West Washington street, Brownsville.

MAY DAY Apartments: 139 Washington, East; efficiency apartments; all utilities included in rent. Phone 773, Brownsville.

FURNISHED SOUTHEAST apartment in duplex. Electrical refrigeration. Garage. 1131 West Levee, phone 1611-W, Brownsville.

UNIQUE APARTMENTS: Attractively furnished and clean. No children or pets. Utilities paid. Phone 1615-J, Brownsville.

SWEENY APARTMENTS: Cool, furnished, electrical refrigeration. Rates extra moderate. Garage. Close in. First and Adams, Brownsville.

WANTED: Permanent tenant for May 1. Modern, cool, well furnished apartment. Adults only. Telephone 964, Brownsville.

NICELY FURNISHED apartments, close in, $18 to $50. Utilities paid. Nel-Roy Apartments, phone 642, Brownsville.

GLENWOOD APARTMENTS: Block from post office. Nicely furnished, utilities paid. Rates moderate. Telephone 1512, Brownsville.

COOL ROOM with adjoining bath, kitchen, home privileges. Also garage. 32 Southeast Adams, phone 954, Brownsville.

GARAGE APARTMENT, furnished, with garage. Cool for summer months. Telephone 460, Brownsville.

FURNISHED APARTMENT in the Alonso, corner 6th and Levee. Phone 734. Mrs.Egbert, 934 St. Charles, Brownsville.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT: Utilities paid. See Mrs. K. P. Belden, 418 East Harrison, Harlingen.

FURNISHED SLEEPING room for gentleman only. Available the 21st 311 East Jackson. Phone 357, Harlingen.

NEW APARTMENTS, very cool. New gas refrigerator, new innerspring mattresses. $25.00 month. Adults. 318 East Polk, Harlingen.

14. RENTALS

14a. Apartments

CLEAN THREE-ROOM modernistic attic apartment. Cool, fully insulated. Located at 1010 East Madison. Phone 142, George H. Beck Lumber Co., or 289-W, Harlingen.

HALL APARTMENTS: Furnished apartments, 521 E. Tyler, Harlingen.

14b. Rooms

FOR RENT: Front bedroom. Gentlemen only. 311 East Jackson, Harlingen. Phone 357.

BEDROOM WITH GARAGE for rent. Men only. 407 West Elizabeth, Brownsville.

14c. Houses

FOR RENT: Good 4-room furnished house. North 11th street, Mrs. Womeldorf, 214 South Main, McAllen.

MODERN FIVE ROOM House for rent. 409 East Jackson. Telephone 6010-F-31, Harlingen.

SEVEN-ROOM brick home, beautifully furnished. Tile floored kitchen, bath, porches. 321 West Fillmore. $55.00. Phone 1040 or 1129, Harlingen.

SIX-ROOM FURNISHED HOUSE: Corner lot, lovely yard. Also three-room furnished duplex. Phone Harlingen, 704-M.

SIX ROOM furnished house. 722 East Pierce. Double garage. Inquire 310 South 5th Street, Harlingen.

5-ROOM furnished house for rent to responsible couple. Going on vacation 4-5 weeks. Box B-133, Star, Harlingen.

FOR RENT: Four-room modern house. Water furnished, $15.00. Telephone 128 or 28, Brownsville.

UNFURNISHED HOUSE, 105 Avalon, $17.50. 44 Belvidere, $20.00. Phone 846, or 872, Brownsville.

PERMANENT, MODERN 7-rooms; electricity, Butane gas hot water system and modern bath; city water; garage; nice lawn. All in first-class condition. Will be vacated and ready for new tenant April 15th. Boca Chica highway and Central avenue, near Airport. Apply on premises. O. A. Pechstein, Route 1, Box 45, Brownsville.

PERMANENT, MODERN, furnished 7-room cottage. Electric stove, hot water heater, refrigerator, hen house and yard. Fruit for family use, garden. A. C. Capron. El Jardin Hotel, Brownsville.

14d. Room and Board

SPECIAL LUNCH 25c drink included. Johnson's Air-Conditioned Cafe. 210 W. Jackson. Harlingen

NICE, COOL bedroom and board, close to airport and Brownsville port. Central avenue, El Jardin. Telephone 6016-F-2, Brownsville.

ROOM, BOARD, $7.00 a week. Two blocks from postoffice. 851 Washington street, Brownsville.

15. WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT: 150 acres good vegetable land. Will give 1-5th rent. Must be where I can water. Box 431, Pharr.

FOR THE NEXT five months, beautifully furnished, one bedroom brick house on North 10th street at $35 to adults who can give satisfactory credentials. Servants quarters on premises. Services optional. Telephone 539, McAllen.

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

HOO RAY

Business is good, prices 'way too low. Too bad on seller but good for broker and buyer. We sell a house; the renter has to move and make way for the new owner. The renter is then dissatisfied with moving, so he buys. On and on it goes. He forces another to move which means if you as tenant are to be safe, you must lease or buy a home. It's really a pleasure for us to help you buy, build or finance a home in the country or city.
LOOK! A beautiful good-as-new 5-room brick, large rooms, one of the choicest residential sections in Harlingen. Just see it for yourself. A real buy, cash or terms. 1213 East Polk St. Near all schools. May we help you finance it?
A REAL BARGAIN: An A-1 good-as-new large 5-room frame on choice paved street. Only $2,000.00. $200.00 cash; balance less than rent.
Beautiful good-as-new stucco home, choicest part of Harlingen. $4,250.00. Only $500.00 cash.
LOOK! A good 6-room frame at a real bargain. See it for yourself, all in A-1 repairs, paved street, near school, nice yard, easy payments and only $250.00 cash. Open for inspection on Sunday. Go see it. 1110 E. Madison.
HOW can you pass up this beautiful new 6-room solid brick home at 205 W. Buchanan St. at the "below cost of construction" price, with only a small cash payment?
NEW F.H.A. 6-room brick. East Van Buren St. near high school, a real buy, small down payment, monthly payments less than rent.
Folks, just follow our list from day to day. See them drop from our ads; we are selling them. If you want to buy, call 139; if you want to sell, call 139.

Willingham Realty
Harlingen, Texas

FOR SALE: New Modern 5-room home on one-half acre. North 10th, $1,500.00. Modern frame house, 11-acre grove. Just outside city limits, $6,000.000. Mrs. Womeldorf, 214 So. Main, McAllen.

FOR SALE: Most livable and comfortable 6-room home, 6th and Gumwood, McAllen. Low down payment, balance like rent. Phone 454, McAllen.

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

SELLING
Liquidation and Distressed properties. Farms, Homes, Lots, Groves, etc.

Lee B. James
Traveler's Hotel Phone 38 or 1478
Brownsville

REDUCED PRICES!

This spring, your house-buying money will go farther than ever before, because of these advantages that HOLC offer you:
New low interest rate of only 4½% per year on the unpaid balance.
Low monthly payments that compare with rent.
Only 10% down.
No extra expense or red tape connected with completing the purchase.
Look over the following:

1746 HAYES STREET
1604 MORTON STREET
1414 ARTHUR STREET
302 N. W. 13TH STREET

TODD and STOBAUGH
434 - 11th St. Phone 183
BROWNSVILLE

GOOD INVESTMENTS
WITH FINE INCOME

5-room stucco house—good condition, garage, close in—Rents for $22.50. Price just $1500.00, or 18 per cent interest.
5-room frame house—Fair condition, garage and work shop combined—Shade trees, about 3 lots—Rents for $18.00. Price just $1350.00 or 16 per cent interest.
4-room frame house—Fair condition. Garage, corner lot, 10 fruit trees. Close in. Rents for $15.00. Price just $1250.00, or 15 per cent interest.
14 acres—all in cultivation, 4-room house, paved road—well, electricity. Will accept $250 cash, balance like F.H.A. or rent. Price $2250.00.

RESTAURANT

Well equipped—good business. Includes building 40x60 on main highway. Investment $2300.00. Owner selling on account of health for only $1475.00, with terms.

See
Tom B. Bowman
Dealer
Office Gi... Hotel Harlingen

16b. Lots for Sale

Sold!

A few days ago I offered you thru these columns real bargains in City Lots—observers of values bought most of them within the week. I now offer another set of excellent buys.

In Quickly Developing Villa Maria Add'n., corner and inside lots well located, being lots 4 & 5, blk. 12, each $325.00

West Elizabeth Street at 7th—The best Bargain of the year. Corner and inside lots being nos. 5 & 6, Blk. 115-A Stillman Add'n. The two lots for $1500.00

In Beautiful Los Ebanos on Palm Blvd. 150 ft. front, by 160 ft. in depth near Ernst home. .$1500.00

Also in Los Ebanos:
Lot 19 Blk. 6 ..... $1500.00
Lots 1 & 12 Blk. 10, each $1000.00

LIST YOUR PROPERTY
FOR SALE WITH . . .

C. H. COLGIN
410-12th Phone 63
Brownsville

Money Talks

$2000.00 buys nice newly decorated 6-room home with 3 bedrooms, front porch and screened in back porch. On corner lot in Victoria Heights. $200.00 cash; balance $19.91 per month including principal and 5% interest.

$2500.00 buys large 5-room house with front porch, screened in back porch and double garage. Close in on Southeast Washington Street. $750.00 cash; balance $20.90 per month including principal and interest.

$2500.00 buys modern 5-room Spanish type bungalow with large front terrace, screened in back porch, breakfast nook, garage and work room, $250.00 cash; balance $17.80 per month including principal and 5% interest.

S. C. GRAHAM
and COMPANY
REALTORS
Phone 179 Marine Arcade Bldg.
Brownsville

16c. Farms, Ranches

FOR SALE

Ranches, Dry Land Farms
Irrigated Farms
Lake Front Homesites

LLOYD PARKER
OLMITO, TEXAS

TO SETTLE AN ESTATE
WE OFFER

150 Acres all in cultivation, irrigated, two sets improvements, one mile city limits Harlingen, block off pavement. 40.00 per acre. One crop cabbage at half price of Friday's will pay for it.
5-room modern home, just completed, approved loan $2750.00, price $3250.00
10 acre grove, 10 years old, on pavement west of Combes, $150.00 per acre. Have party will loan $1000.00 to a purchaser.

HERREN REALTY CO.
Phone 56 Harlingen

16e. For Sale or Trade

TRADE: Best eight-unit apartment house in Oklahoma City. Pays 12 per cent on $40,000.00. Occupancy for past year 96 per cent. My equity for clear, well located citrus grove. Mrs. Ora Lee Hoover, 2701 North Walker street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

16. REAL ESTATE

16c. Farms, Ranches

For Sale
1,400 Acres

Well located out of irrigation district, close to highly developed part of Rio Grande Valley, on concrete highway, when planted to Rhodes grass will pasture 500 head of cattle, also good cotton, potato and citrus land. Can be bought at a price that will be a real bargain for anyone. Consider some trade. Write or phone:

E. H. BRIGGS
Harlingen

16g. Wanted To Buy

WANTED TO RENT WITH OPTION TO BUY: 1 to 5 acres of land adjoining the highway and located either in or adjacent to any one of the following cities: Brownsville, San Benito, Harlingen, Weslaco, Mercedes, La Feria, Alamo, Pharr, San Juan, Donna, Mission, Edinburg, Raymondville, Mission and Rio Grande City. Absolutely no reply will be made to letters that do not set forth the full facts of location, ownership and annual or yearly rental per acre desired. All replies will be held in strict confidence. Address Box C-98, Monitor, McAllen, Texas.

16h. Business Property

FOR SALE OR RENT: Well located corner building for rent with modern offices. Ideal for warehouse for jobber, manufacturer or machine shop 3600 square feet of floor space. 2400 feet concreted, 6,000 square feet well fenced. Inquire of N. I. Koppel, Harlingen, Texas

17. NOTICES

17a. Announcements

NOTICE: I will not be responsible for any debts other than those contracted by myself. Signed: G. C. Grisham.

POLITICAL
ANNOUNCEMENTS

Under this heading are published the names of candidates for public office. The fees for this service can be obtained at the Brownsville Herald office.
Names of candidates will be carried in the announcement column until the July Primary.

Valley Sunday Star-Monitor-Herald is authorized to make the following announcements of candidates subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

For District Attorney:
ROY A. SCOTT, Corpus Christi

For Sheriff:
WILL CABLER, Brownsville.

17d Professional Notices

DR. H. C. SAMPLE has moved his office to 14-15 Marine Arcade Building. 1045 Levee, Brownsville.

DR. D. C. ROUGEOU
DENTIST
209-210 Baxter Bldg.
HARLINGEN TEXAS
Telephone—Harlingen 1467

17e. Travel Opportunities

LEAVING FOR LUBBOCK Wednesday. Can take three adult passengers. 521 East Filmore; or call 1057-J., Harlingen.

DRIVING to Milwaukee April 28, can take one or two passengers. Mrs. Clara Bernard, La Feria.

17f. Cafe and Hotels

RIO GRANDE HOTEL: Cool rooms, reasonable rates. Hot and cold running water. Brownsville.

NOW OPEN
MILNER HOTEL
Formerly Riverside Hotel
$2.50 PER WEEK
Guest Laundry Free!
Levee ...d 13th Phone 481
Brownsville

WHITE KITCHEN
419 Twelfth Street
BUSINESS LUNCHES
Private dining room. Serving the Valley for over ten years.
BROWNSVILLE

BOSTON WOOL

BOSTON—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—A very moderate improvement in the wool market was maintained during the past week. Small sales of spot wools were somewhat more numerous and comprised a broader selection of wools than in the previous week. Prices continued somewhat irregular. Prices were inclined to ease on scattered sales of territory wools. Quotations on fleece wools were quoted at 33 to 34 cents, in the grease, for fine delaine, at 36 to 37 cents for half bloods, and at 35 to 37 cents for three eighths and quarter bloods.

BUTTER AND EGGS

CHICAGO—(AP)—Butter 812,225; easy; creamery—93 score, 27; 92, 26¾; 91, 26¼; 90, 26¼; 89, 26; 88, 25½; 90, centralized carlots 26¾.
Eggs 40,384; steady; storage packed extras 18¼; firsts 18; other prices unchanged.

METALS

NEW YORK—(AP)—Copper steady; electrolytic spot, Conn. Valley, 11.37½-50; export, FAS NY, 11.37½-50. Tin steady; spot and nearby 47.25; forward 46.75. Lead steady; spot NY 5.10-15; East St. Louis 4.95. Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and forward 4.75. Others unchanged.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK—(AP)—Cotton futures met with little resistance in a forward shift that put final prices up 4 to 5 points Saturday.
Selling was kept to a minimum.
Some buying was inspired by news of heavy rains in the eastern and central parts of the belt, which cotton experts said would probably further delay planting and replanting in those areas where recent frost damage was heaviest. From important growing areas in the south came reports the crop is two to three weeks behind.
Small opening losses, due in part to Bombay selling, were quickly overcome and sufficient buying kept coming in to take care of liquidating and hedging sales.
Exports Friday 12,670 bales; season so far 5,755,877. Port receipts 4,858; port stocks 2,000,538.

DAY'S NEWS OF NATION'S MARKETS

FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKETS

VALLEY CARLOT SHIPMENTS FOR FRIDAY.
Grapefruit 14, Beets 13, Beets and Carrots 11, Cabbage 12, Carrots 12, Onions 3, Parsley 7, Potatoes 26, Mixed Vegetables 30 cars.
Totals to Date This Season by Rail and Boat: Grapefruit 11119, Oranges 872, Mixed Citrus 903, Lemons 2, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 123, eBans 3, Beets 425, Beets and Carrots 391, Broccoli 129, Cabbage 3120, Kraut Cabbage 35, Carrots 916, Dandelion 2, Endive 11, Escarole 1, Frozen Beans 1, Frozen Peas 5, Frozen Vegetables 1, Greens 6, Lettuce 1, Onions 15, Parsley 119, Peas 107, Peppers 136, Potatoes 516, Radishes 26, Rhubarb 1, Spinach 18, Squash 2, Tomatoes 585, Mixed Vegetables 6286, total 25,877.
To the Same Date Last Season: Citrus Fruits 16,637, Vegetables 10,880, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 84, total 27,601 cars.
VALLEY TRUCK SHIPMENTS FRIDAY (39 Trucks)
Grapefruit: 80 lb Boxes 6784, Bushel 20, 80 lb Sacks 310, 50 lb Sacks 16.
Oranges: 80 lb Boxes 686, Bushels 51, 40 lb Sacks 203.
Carlot Equiv April 19: Grapefruit 17.8, Oranges 2.0, Tangerines 0, total 18.8 cars.
Carlot Equiv to Date: Grapefruit 6237.2, Oranges 3940.3, Tangerines 113.1, total 10286.5 cars.
Carlot Equiv to Date Last Season: Grapefruit 4769.0, Oranges 4429.1, total 9198.1 cars.
FLORIDA TRUCK CITRUS SHIPMENTS REPORTED FOR FRIDAY
Carlot Equiv April 19: Grapefruit 12, Oranges 29, Tangerines 0, total 41 cars.
AVERAGE AUCTION PRICES OF GRAPEFRUIT SOLD AND UNREPORTED FRIDAY
PHILADELPHIA: Texas Marsh 701 Boxes Gen Avg 2.78, High 3.45, Low 2.15.
Texas Foster Pink 186 Boxes Gen Avg 2.58, High 2.80, Low 2.10.
Fla Marsh 708 Boxes Gen Avg 2.36, High 2.87, Low 1.87.
Fla Other 679 Boxes Gen Avg 2.06, High 2.48, Low 1.58.
Fla Other 432 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.30, High 1.50, Low 1.13.
NEW YORK: Texas Pinks 395 Boxes Gen Avg 2.43, High 2.47, Low 2.39.
Fla Marsh 4580 Boxes Gen Avg 2.74, High 3.47, Low 2.00.
Fla Other 1040 Boxes Gen Avg 2.12, High 2.71, Low 1.68.
Fla Marsh 1985 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.91, High 2.41, Low 1.57.
Fla Other 1130 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.58, High 1.73, Low 1.38.
BOSTON: No auction sales Friday.
HEARNE PASSINGS OF TEXAS CITRUS REPORTED APRIL 19 FOR THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS
Grapefruit: 1 each Minneapolis, Winnipeg.
HOUSTON PASSINGS OF TEXAS CITRUS REPORTED APRIL 19 FOR THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS
Grapefruit: 6 Chicago; 3 each St. Louis, Philadelphia; 1 each Toronto, Minneapolis, New Orleans, Dixon, Detroit, Cedar Falls.
Oranges: 1 each Dallas, Chicago.
FORT WORTH PASSINGS OF TEXAS CITRUS REPORTED APRIL 20 FOR THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS
Grapefruit: 1 each Vancouver, Dallas.
KANSAS CITY PASSINGS OF TEXAS CITRUS REPORTED APRIL 20 FOR THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS
Grapefruit: 1 each Decatur, Minneapolis.
ST. LOUIS PASSINGS OF TEXAS CITRUS REPORTED APRIL 20 FOR THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS
Grapefruit: 3 Chicago; 2 each New York, Peoria; 1 each Cincinnati, Cleveland, Milwaukee, Pittsburgh.
SALES OF TEXAS CITRUS ON SATURDAY MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKETS IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES
FORT WORTH: Grapefruit: Market Steady Marsh wire and nail Boxes: Comb and US 2s medium 1.50-1.75, Specials, 3s and Culls 1.15-1.35.
Oranges: Market Firm Valencias nail and wire Boxes: Small-Med US 2s and Specials 3.00-3.50, Large 2.75-3.00.
DENVER: Grapefruit: Market Steady: Marsh US Comb: Std Boxes 1.65-1.85, Wire Boxes: Large 1.35, Small-Med 1.50-1.75.
KANSAS CITY: Grapefruit: Market Slow Stronger Marsh Specials: Std Boxes 2.25-2.50, Wire Boxes 2.25-2.50, Marsh Pink Boxes wrapped US Comb: 70s and Smaller 2.75-2.85, 80s 2.50, US No. 2s 2.35.
MINNEAPOLIS: (Street sales early Saturday) Grapefruit: Market Firm Marsh No. 2s and Specials: Std Boxes 2.75-3.25, Wire Boxes 2.50-2.90.

VEGETABLES

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR APRIL 19
Lower Rio Grande Valley:
Cabbage: Demand fairly good, market steady. Mostly fair quality. L. A. crates, domestic round type, straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms: $1.38-1.50, few high as $1.75; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms: $1.35-1.50, few high as $1.75; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. cash track 100, few sales to quote. Top ice extra. Paid growers $15.00-20.00, few $22.00-25.00, per ton for truckloads delivered at packing sheds.
Carrots: Demand moderate, market firm. Straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms: L. A. crates, 6 dozen bunches, $1.00-1.10, mostly $1.05-1.10, half crates, 4 dozen bunches, 65-75c, mostly 70-75c; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. cash track: L. A. crates, 6 dozen bunches, mostly $1.00, half crates, 4 dozen bunches, mostly 65c, few 60c. Top ice extra. Paid growers 15-30c, mostly 25c, per crate of 6 dozen bunches in field.
Beets: Demand fair, market about steady. Half crates, 3 dozen bunches, straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms: 55-65c; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. cash track: 50-55c, mostly 55c. Top ice extra. Paid growers 10-20c per crate of 6 dozen bunches in field.
Laredo District—Texas.
Onions: Haulings increasing. Good wire inquiry. Demand fair, market slightly weaker. Carloads f.o.b. cash track: 50 lb sacks, Yellow Bermudas, US Commercial, 65 to 80% US No. 1 quality, $1.60-1.65, mostly $1.60, no grade indicated, few $1.50; Crystal White Wax, US Commercial, 65-80% US No. 1 quality, $1.85-2.00; carloads f.o.b. usual terms: Yellow Bermudas US Commercial, 65-80% US No. 1 quality, few sales, $1.60-1.65.
Brawley, California.
Carrots: Demand active and exceeds supply, especially on best stock. Market firm to slightly stronger. Carloads f.o.b. cash track: L. A. crates, 6 dozen bunches, $1.25-1.35, occasional sale lower. Top ice extra. Some wire sales and consigned. Some shipments on guaranteed advances. Inspections Thursday, 35 cars: 30% graded US No. 1, 54% graded 90% US No. 1 quality, 16% graded below 90% US No. 1 quality.
Belle Glade—Lake Okeechobee Section—Florida.
Beans: Haulings moderate. Demand fair, market slightly weaker. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truckloads cash at packing houses: bushel hampers Bountiful 1.25-1.50, one car $1.60, ordinary to fair quality, 90c-$1.25, some poor quality, 50-55c; Stringless Black Valentines, $1.85-2.00, mostly ordinary to fair quality, $1.25-1.75, some poor, $1.00; Tendergreens, $1.35-1.50, some $1.60, ordinary to fair $1.00-1.25; Wax, flat type, ordinary quality, $1.00.
Belle Glade—Florida.
Cabbage: Haulings moderate. On good stock, demand good, market slightly stronger, on ordinary stock, demand slow, market dull. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truckloads cash at packing houses: 1½ bushel hampers, domestic round type, 65-80c. Most shipments ordinary quality and rolled unsold. Corrections received on Friday's f.o.b. add, some fine 85c-90c.

POTATOES

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR FRIDAY
Lower Rio Grande Valley: Demand slow, market steady. Carloads f.o.b. usual terms: Bliss Triumphs washed US 1s 50 lb sacks 1.35, US 1s size B 62½c; 50 lb sacks US 1s 1.45, US 1s size B 1.02½. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truck loads cash at packing houses 7½c less. Unwashed 7½c less. Precooling $25 per car extra. Paid growers per 100 lbs delivered at packing sheds US 1s 2.20, size B 1.85.
Wasco Edison District—California: Haulings moderate. Early demand slow, late demand improvin gto fairly good, market about steady. Carloads f.o.b. cash track: Long Whites US 1s 100 lb sacks 1.25-1.30, 50 sacks 1.35-1.40, occasional low as 1.25 per cwt.; 100 lb sacks size B mostly around 90c, 50 lb sacks size B 90-95c per cwt. Bliss Triumphs US 1s 50 lbs sacks 2 cwt. 90c per sack. Some shipments on contract, some shipments rolled for delivered sales, few consigned.
—Belle Glade—Florida.
Haulings very light. Demand light, market about steady. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truck loads cash at packing houses: Bliss Triumphs US 1s bu crts 1.25, size B .95-1.00.
HOUSTON PASSINGS OF TEXAS POTATOES REPORTED APRIL 20 FOR 24 HOURS
18 St. Louis, 12 Kansas City, 12 Chicago, 2 each Cincinnati, Atlanta, 1 each Ft. Worth, Canton, Toronto.
HEARNE PASSINGS OF TEXAS POTATOES REPORTED APRIL 20 FOR 24 HOURS
1 Monett.
SALES ON SATURDAY MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKETS IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES
Unless otherwise stated quotations are on Bliss Triumphs US No. 1s.
CLEVELAND: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.85-.90, Florida bu crts washed 1.60-1.75.
PITTSBURGH: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.80-1.85, Florida bu crts washed 1.75-1.90.
FT. WORTH: Texas 50 lb sacks 1.60-2.00, mostly around 1.75, US 1s 1¼ inch min, mostly 1.50, Size B and US 2s 1.00-1.35.
CINCINNATI: Texas 50 lb sacks 1.75-2.00, Size B 1.40-1.50, Florida bu crts 1.75-2.00, Size B 1.40-1.50.
DETROIT: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.65-1.75, unwashed 1.50, Florida bu crts washed 1.75-2.00, few 2.10-2.15.
KANSAS CITY: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.50-1.65.
CHICAGO: Track Sales Less Carlots: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.50-1.55, unwashed 1.40, Size B washed 1.25, unwashed 1.10, Florida bu crts washed 1 car 1.35.
ST. LOUIS: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.50-1.65, unwashed 1.35-1.40, Size B 1.25, Florida bu crts washed 1.50-1.60, few best 1.75, Carlot Track Sales: late Fri.: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1 car 1.50.
ST. LOUIS PASSINGS OF TEXAS POTATOES REPORTED APRIL 20 FOR 24 HOURS
11 Chicago, 5 Cincinnati, 2 New York, 1 each Cleveland, Detroit, Washington.

COTTON
COTTON FUTURES
NEW YORK—(AP)—Cotton futures advanced moderately in quite trading Saturday.
Futures closed 4-8 higher.

Old contract:	Open	High	Low	Last	
May	10.70	10.75	10.69	10.75	+ 4
July	10.42	10.48	10.42	10.48	+ 5
New contract:					
May	10.85	10.90	10.85	10.90	+ 5
July	10.57	10.60	10.57	10.64N	+ 5
Oct.	10.08	10.14	10.08	10.14	+ 5
Dec.	9.96	10.02	9.96	10.03N	+ 5
Jan.	9.91	9.95	9.91	9.98N	+ 5
March	9.82	9.88	9.82	9.89	+ 4

Middling spot (⅞-inch) 10.91N, Up 4. N—Nominal.

MIDDLING COTTON
NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The average price of middling 15-16ths inch cotton at 10 designated southern spot markets Saturday was 5 higher at 10.68 cents a pound; average for the past 30 market days was 10.54. Middling ⅞ inch cotton was 10.48 cents a pound.

TEXAS COTTON
DALLAS—(AP)—Cotton 10.30; Houston, 10.06; Galveston, 10.62.

SPOT COTTON
NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Spot cotton closed quiet, 8 higher. Sales 724, low middling 9.67, middling 10.77, good middling 11.22. Receipts 3,281. Stock 696,056.

LIVESTOCK
TEXAS LIVESTOCK
FORT WORTH—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle, salable 150, total 350; calves, salable and total 100; Saturday's trade nominal. Compared close last week: Practically all classes cattle and calves fully 50c higher; well finished mature steers scarce; top yearling steers 10.25, heifers 10.00, best cows 7.00, cutters 5.00 down; top bulls 6.75; slaughter calves up to 9.50, freely and vealers to 10.00; and stock heifer calves 9.50 down; some lightweights above these prices; best yearling stock steers 10.00.
Hogs, salable 300, total 450; steady with Friday's average; top 6.20; good and choice 180-270 lb 6.10-20; good and choice 150-175 lb 5.50-6.05; stocker pigs down to 3.50; packing sows steady, 4.25-50. Compared with week ago good butchers 45c higher.
Sheep, salable and total 150; Saturday's trade nominal. Compared with last week's close: Spring lambs mostly 25c higher, some sales 50c up; clipped fat feeder lambs steady to 25c higher, wethers steady; bulk spring lambs 8.00-9.25; culls down to 6.50; good wooled fed lambs 9.00; clipped fat lambs mostly 7.50-8.00; 2-year-old shorn wethers 5.50-6.50; shorn aged wethers mostly 4.00 down with early week's top 4.25; clipped feeder lambs 5.50-6.50; spring feeder lambs 7.00 down.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK
CHICAGO—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Salable hogs 500; total 4,500; odd lots good to choice 190-320 lbs 5.80-6.00; holdover 500; compared week ago: 160-270 lbs 45-50 higher; heavier butchers 50-60 up; packing sows 50-60 higher.
Salable cattle 100; calves none; top 12.35; best long yearlings 12.25; light yearlings 11.40; very little below 8.50 at close, bulk 8.65-11.00; best weight fed heifers 10.65; light offerings 10.00; cows very scarce, strong, cutters sellin gat 5.90-6.00 freely; heavy sausage bulls to 7.15, and selected weighty vealers to 12.00.
Salable sheep 2,000; total 4,500; bulk fed wooled westerns 9.85-10.25; two loads Colorados 10.50; light and unfinished offerings 9.75 down; 117 lbs wooled Colorado 9.85; deck 115 lbs clippers 8.75, with 98 lbs fall shorn lambs at 9.75; wooled ewes quotable down from 5.50. Compared Friday last week: Fed wooled western lambs, mostly Colorados, 50-60 lower; week's bulk 10.00-10.75, early top 11.00, late peak 10.50, with bulk handweights Friday 10.00-10.25; shorn lambs largely 8.75-9.75, with most sales 9.10-8.50; weighty wooled western averaging 117 lbs 9.85, most light and unfinished offerings 9.75 down; best wooled western ewes 5.50, clippers 4.50, most natives 3.00-4.25, odd head to 5.00.

GRAIN
CHICAGO CASH GRAINS
CHICAGO—(AP)—Cash wheat No. 2 hard 1.13½; No. 3 yellow hard 1.12¾-1.13; sample 1.03.
Corn No. 1 mixed mainly white 74½; No. 1 yellow 67-68¼; No. 2, 66¼-68¼.
Oats No. 1 feed 41; No. 2 white 45-45¾.

TEXAS GRAINS
FORT WORTH—(AP)—Demand was good for grains here Saturday.
Wheat No. 1 soft red winter nom 1.15¾-17¾; No. 1 hard, according to protein and billing, 1.11¾-15¾.
Barley No. 2 nom 66-67; No. 3 nom 65-66.
Sorghums No. 2 yellow milo per 100 lbs nom 1.38-40; No. 3 yellow milo nom 1.35-37. No. 2 white kafir nom 1.35-37; No. 3 white kafir nom 1.32-34.
Corn, shelled, No. 2 mixed 86¼-86¾; No. 3 yellow 83¾-84¼.
Oats No. 2 red 46-47; No. 3 red 45-46.

CHICAGO GRAINS
CHICAGO—(AP)—Wheat prices closed with slight net gains Saturday after the market had fluctuated nervously most of the short session.
Strength in securities and prospects of only little precipitation encouraged buying that offset profit taking and hedge selling. Some traders regarded a rally in Italian bonds as evidence of lessened tension in the Mediterranean.

STOCK LIST

Al Chem&Dye	3	177	177	177
Allis-Ch Mfg	4	33⅝	33½	33⅝
Am Can	1	115¼	115¼	115¼
Am M&Fdy	3	13⅝	13½	13½
Am Metal	4	22½	22	22
Am Rad&St S	14	8½	8½	8½
Am Roll Mill	7	15⅛	15	15⅛
Am Smelt & R	11

Screen Calendar NEWS OF LATEST MOTION PICTURES Advance Films

New Array Of Disney Characters Seen In Feature-Length Cartoon

'Pinocchio' Scheduled At Arcadia

Walt Disney's second full-length feature cartoon "Pinocchio," filmed in multiplane technicolor brings to the screen a strange array of new characters.

Always wanting to be fair, Disney has given the starring part in "Pinocchio," to a boy, inasmuch as he followed a "ladies first" policy and made his first feature, "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," around a girl.

The remaining cast of typical Disney characters include Geppetto, the kindly old wood-carver who lives with his pets, Figaro the kitten, and Cleo the goldfish. He carves the little wooden puppet Pinocchio and in answer to his wish for a real boy, the Blue Fairy endows the puppet with life, appointing Jiminy Cricket as his conscience. The Fox (J. Worthington Foulfellow) and the Cat (Giddy) are small-fry comic villians who sell Pinocchio to Stromboli, the unscrupulous puppet master. The Coachman buys stupid little boys and takes them to Pleasure Island where they eventually turn into donkeys. Lamewick is the toughest of the little boys on Pleasure Island; and Monstro is the Whale who guards the entrance to Pleasure Island and swallows ships.

"Pinocchio" is booked for showing Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.



Walt Disney's newest cartoon character "Pinocchio" seen in the title role of his full-length feature of the same title which is scheduled for showing Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.

'IT'S A DATE' IS HIT FILM

Deanna Durbin's Film At Capitol

Deanna Durbin makes it seven straight hits with her latest starring picture "It's a Date," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville.

In many ways the picture is Miss Durbin's best to date. It has the most colorful setting . . . romantic Hawaii. Its comedy rates with the best and the songs are again outstanding.

One of the star's finest supporting casts shares credit for her latest triumph. Kay Frances, as Deanna's mother, a famous and glamourous actress, returns to high favor with an excellent performance and Walter Pidgeon, as romantic interest for both Deanna and Kay, has perhaps the most successful role of his career.

The story begins on Broadway, moves speedily to Maine and finally to Hawaii. Deanna and Miss Francis are offered the same stage role by a producer, a part Deanna tries to refuse when she learns her mother wants to play it. Pretending love for Pidgeon and saying she will "give up her career," Deanna sets out in pursuit of the hopeless Pidgeon, whose love for the mother is secretly returned. Who gets the role, and who gets man, is unfolded in surprising and suitable finish to one of the year's most entertaining pictures.

'Virginia City' Is Epic Of Early West

Intrigue behind the scenes of the building of the West gives impetus to the story of "Virginia City," in which Errol Flynn and Miriam Hopkins star.

For all its Western background, the film is the story of the Civil War and the attempt of Confederate sympathizers to smuggle a shipment of gold out of the famous mining town of the Comstock Lode to aid their cause. Flynn is the Yankee officer detailed to stop the shipment, Miriam the Southern girl trying to outwit him.

Heading their supporting cast is Randolph Scott and with him are Humphrey Bogart, Frank McHugh, Alan Hale, Guinn Williams, John Lite land others. There will be a color cartoon and a newsreel on the program.

"Virginia City" is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco.



Linda Darnell and John Payne co-starred in the screen's romantic comedy hit "Star Dust," booked ofr current showing Sunday and Monday at the Palace Theatre in McAllen; Tuesday and Wednesday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Wednesday and Thursday.

Linda Darnell Seen In Romantic Comedy

'Star Dust' Is Story Of Hollywood

Linda Darnell, who had a sensational rise to a top-spot in popularity is co-starred with John Payne, Roland Young and Charlotte Greenwood in "Star Dust," a romantic story of the motion picture industry itself.

Miss Darnell, a former Dallas, Texas girl first appeared in the leading role of "Hotel For Women" and her second picture was with Tyrone Power in "Day-Time Wife."

The story of "Star Dust" might well be a chapter out of Miss Darnell's own meteoric rise to stardom as it presents her and Payne as a couple of plucky small-town youngsters scrapping for their place in the Hollywood sun.

"Star Dust" is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Palace Theatre in McAllen, Tuesday and Wednesday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Wednesday and Thursday.

David Niven Portrays Role Of Master Thief

Starring David Niven and Olivia De Havilland together for the first time on the screen Samuel Goldwyn's "Raffles" is a fast moving story of thrill-packed adventure and romance and is scheduled for showing Tuesday and Wednesday at the State Theatre in Mercedes and at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco Thursday and Friday.

Dapper David Niven portrays the gentlemanly thief "Raffles" in a wholly credible manner making him a handsomely fascinating fellow, mannerly and adroit.

In addition to Niven and Miss De Havilland the cast includes Dudley Digges, Dame May Whitty, E. E. Clive and Margaret Seddon.

GEORGE RAFT STARS IN FILM

George Raft is co-starred with Joan Bennett in "House Across The Bay" scheduled Tuesday and Wednesday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.



Ginger Rogers and Joel McCrea co-starred in the dramatic screen version of the notable Broadway stage success "Primrose Path," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen and at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Friday and Saturday. Others in the cast include Marjorie Rambeau, Henry Travers, Miles Mander and John Carroll.

VALLEY SCREEN CALENDAR

CAPITOL THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Deanna Durbin and Kay Francis in "It's A Date" with Walter Pidgeon and Lewis Howard. Also latest issue of the "March of Time."

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Linda Darnell and John Payne in "Star Dust" with Charlotte Greenwood and Roland Young.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Madeleine Carroll and Brian Aherne in "My Son, My Son" with Louis Hayward and Laraine Day.

QUEEN THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY ONLY: Conrad Veidt and Valerie Hobson in the thrill-packed and timely drama "U-Boat 29."

MONDAY, TUESDAY: Eleanor Powell and Robert Young in "Honolulu" with George Burns and Gracie Allen.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Jane Withers and Joe Brown, Jr. in "High School." Filmed at Jefferson High School in San Antonio.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Russell Hayden and Jean Parker in Zane Grey's "Knights Of The Range" with Victor Jory.

RIVOLI THEATRE, SAN BENITO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Mickey Rooney and Charles Brancroft in "Young Tom Edison" with Fay Bainter, Virginia Weidler and Eugene Pallette.

TUESDAY ONLY: Priscilla Lane and Dennis Morgan in "Three Cheers For The Irish" with Alan Hale and Thomas Mitchell.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Linda Darnell and John Payne in "Star Dust" with Roland Young and Charlotte Greenwood.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Ginger Rogers and Joel McCrea in "Primrose Path" with Marjorie Rambeau, Miles Mander and Henry Travers.

ARCADIA THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Ginger Rogers and Joel McCrea in "Primrose Path" with Miles Mander, Marjorie Rambeau and Henry Travers.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Joan Bennett and George Raft in "The House Across The Bay" with Walter Pidgeon, Gladys George and Lloyd Nolan.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Walt Disney's feature-length Technicilor cartoon "Pinocchio."

RIALTO THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Boris Karloff and Jo Ann Sayers in "The Man With Nine Lives" with Roger Pryor.

MONDAY, TUESDAY: Jean Parker and James Dunn in "Son Of The Navy" with Martin Spellman, Charles King and Gene Morgan.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Robert Montgomery and Edward Arnold in "The Earl of Chicago" with Reginald Owen.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Charles Starrett and Lorna Grey in "The Stranger From Texas" with the Sons of The Pioneers.

STRAND THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Tom Brown and Constance Moore in "Ma He's Making Eyes At Me" with Anne Nagel, Jerome Cowan and Marie Green and Her Merry Minstrels.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Tyrone Power and Linda Darnell in "Day-Time Wife" with Warren William and Binnie Barnes.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Bela Lugosi in "White Zombie."

SATURDAY ONLY: Adrianna Lamar and Ramon Pereda in "Mexico Lindo" (Spanish Dialogue).

STATE THEATRE, MERCEDES

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Mickey Rooney as "Young Tom Edison" with George Bancroft, Fay Bainter, Virginia Weidler and Eugene Pallette. Also latest March of Time.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: David Niven and Olivia De Havilland in "Raffles" with Dudley Digges and E. E. Clive.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Carole Lombard and Brian Aherne in A. J. Cronin's "Vigil In The Night" with Anne Shirley.

SATURDAY ONLY: Tex Ritter and his horse, White Flash, in "Rhythm Of The Rio Grande" with Susan Dale.

RITZ THEATRE, WESLACO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Errol Flynn and Miriam Hopkins in "Virginia City" with Randolph Scott, Humphrey Bogart, Alan Hale and "Big Boy" Williams.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Carole Lombard and Brian Aherne in A. J. Cronin's "Vigil In The Night" with Anne Shirley.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY: David Niven and Olivia De Havilland in "Raffles" with Dudley Digges and E. E. Clive.

SATURDAY ONLY: George O'Brien in "The Bullet Code" with Virginia Vale.

PALACE THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Linda Darnell and John Payne in "Star Dust" with Roland Young and Charlotte Greenwood.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Carole Lombard and Brian Aherne in A. J. Cronin's "Vigil In The Night" with Anne Shirley. Also "Teddy, The Rough Rider" in color.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Mickey Rooney as "Young Tom Edison" with George Bancroft, Virginia Weidler, Fay Bainter and Eugene Pallette.

QUEEN THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Sidney Toler and Jean Rogers in "Charlie Chan In Panama" with Lionel Atwill, Mary Nash and Jack La Rue.

MONDAY, TUESDAY: Boris Karloff, Melvyn Douglas and Charles Laughton in "The Old Dark House" with Lillian Bond and Gloria Stuart.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Tom Brown and Peggy Moran in "Oh, Johnny, How You Can Love."

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Gene Autry in "In Old Santa Fe" and Ken Maynard.

Priscilla Lane Is Star Of Comedy Hit

A hilarious down to earth comedy-romance that is packed with entertainment "Three Cheers For The Irish" co-stars vivacious Priscilla Lane, Thomas Mitchell and Dennis Morgan and features Alan Hale, Virginia Grey, Henry Armetta, Irene Hervey and Frank Jenks at the head of a distinguished supporting cast.

"Three Cheers For The Irish" is scheduled for showing Tuesday Only at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito.

Roosevelt Shown As Famed 'Rough Rider'

Acclaimed the best short subject of all time "Teddy, The Rough Rider" brings the great American President's life to the screen as a public official from the time he was Police Commissioner of New York City until after he had served this nation twice as chief executive.

Filmed in technicolor this short-featurette is showing Tuesday and Wednesday at the Palace Theatre in McAllen as a special added attraction to the regular program.

'Vigil In Night' Penned By Cronin

Adapted from A. J. Cronin's compelling story of the seldom mentioned women in white "Vigil In The Night" comes to the screen with Carole Lombard, Brian Aherne and Anne Shirley in starring roles.

"Vigil In The Night" is booked for showing Tuesday and Wednesday at both the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and Palace Theatre in McAllen and at the State Theatre in Mercedes Thursday and Friday.

Mickey Rooney Plays Role Of 'Tom Edison'



Mickey Rooney and Virginia Weidler in "Young Tom Edison," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at both the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito and the State Theatre in Mercedes and at the Palace Theatre in McAllen, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Virginia Weidler In Co-Starring Role

The fact that Thomas Alva Edison, America's greatest inventor was Andy Hardy, Tom Sawyer and one or two of the Dead End Kids rolled into one is revealed by Mickey Rooney in his new starring picture "Young Tom Edison."

A dozen or more of Edison's outstanding boyhood pranks are perpetrated by Mickey Rooney. Each of them was achieved by Tom at one time or another in his youth, but for story purposes they have been concentrated into the span of his life with which the picture deals.

"Young Tom Edison," gives Mickey Rooney his first portrayal of a real life character, a role in which Rooney has an opportunity to prove that he is a genuine actor.

The picture also marks the second teaming of Mickey with Virginia Weidler, who scored as his nemesis in "Out West with the Hardys." She plays his sister in the present picture, a role which Hollywood believes will definitely make her a star. In the two other stellar roles of the picture, Fay Bainter plays Mrs. Edison and George Bancroft, Mr. Edison.

"Young Tom Edison," is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at both the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito and the State Theatre in Mercedes and at the Palace Theatre in McAllen, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

POPULAR PAIR IN NEW FILM

'Primrose Path' Is Dramatic Hit

The dramatic talents of Ginger Rogers are offered refreshing activity, co-starred with Joel McCrea in "Primrose Path," adapted to the screen from the notable Broadway stage play of the same title.

Miss Rogers is cast as the ashamed daughter of a sordid family living "across the tracks." When she suddenly falls in love with a gay young man who operates a hamburger stand down near the fish canneries, she does not let him know anything about her kin. She deserts her home to marry the boy, and it is not until after their marriage that he learns of her unsavory background.

The inevitable separation, the return of the unhappy girl to her disgraceful family, the temptations which confront her when her mother dies and she is faced with becoming the breadwinner of the motley group, lead to the heart-searing climax of this down-to-earth drama.

Marjorie Rambeau, Henry Travers, Miles Mander, Queenie Vassar and Joan Carroll have important supporting roles in support of Miss Rogers and McCrea.

"Primrose Path," is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen and at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Friday and Saturday.



Deanna Durbin in her latest starring picture "It's a Date," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsvile.

Popular Best Seller Is Hit Screen Drama

The faithful and superb adaptation of the best-selling novel "My Son, My Son" by Howard Spring co-stars lovely Madeleine Carroll, Brian Aherne and Louis Hayward in leading roles and features Laraine Day, Henry Hull, Josephine Hutchinson and Scotty Beckett.

"My Son, My Son," is scheduled for showing Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville.

RITZ
WESLACO
SUNDAY—MONDAY
ERROL FLYNN
MIRIAM HOPKINS
1940's Greatest Screen Thrill
Virginia City
RANDOLPH SCOTT · HUMPHREY BOGART
FRANK McHUGH · ALAN HALE · GUINN "Big Boy" WILLIAMS
Directed by MICHAEL CURTIZ · A WARNER BROS.-First Nat'l Picture

STATE
MERCEDES
SUNDAY—MONDAY
MICKEY ROONEY
Young Tom Edison
FAY BAINTER · GEORGE BANCROFT
ALSO:
"MARCH OF TIME"
PRESENTS
"AMERICA'S YOUTH 1940"

RIVOLI
SAN BENITO
SUNDAY-MONDAY
A DRAMA OF COURAGE! A STORY OF TRIUMPH!
The exciting boyhood of a great American . . with America's Favorite Star surpassing even his "Boys Town" triumph!
Mickey ROONEY AS Young TOM EDISON
with FAY BAINTER · VIRGINIA WEIDLER · GEORGE BANCROFT · EUGENE PALLETTE
STARTS WEDNESDAY
LINDA DARNELL
IN
"STAR DUST"
WITH
JOHN PAYNE
MARJORIE RAMBEAU
ROLAND YOUNG
STARTS FRIDAY
GINGER ROGERS
IN
"PRIMROSE PATH"
WITH
JOEL McCREA

CAPITOL
BROWNSVILLE
SUNDAY-MONDAY
IT HAPPENED IN HAWAII! Deanna gets double heart trouble under the spell of a Hawaiian moon.
Deanna Durbin in "It's a Date"
with KAY FRANCIS
WALTER PIDGEON
Lewis HOWARD · Eugene PALLETTE
Cecilia LOFTUS · Henry STEVENSON
HARRY OWENS and his Royal Hawaiians
LATEST:
"MARCH OF TIME"
"America's Youth—1940"
STARTS TUESDAY
LINDA DARNELL
IN
"STAR DUST"
WITH
JOHN PAYNE
ROLAND YOUNG
MARJORIE RAMBEAU
STARTS THURSDAY
BRIAN AHERNE
IN
"MY SON, MY SON"
WITH
MADELEINE CARROLL

PALACE
McALLEN
SUNDAY—MONDAY
THE SCREEN'S NEWEST STAR! In a story thrilling and real, that might well be a chapter out of her own meteroic rise to stardom!
LINDA DARNELL
IN
STAR DUST
with John Payne · Roland Young · Charlotte Greenwood
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CAROLE LOMBARD
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"VIGIL IN THE NIGHT"
WITH ANNE SHIRLEY
BRIAN AHERNE
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VIRGINIA WEIDLER
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ARCADIA
HARLINGEN
SUNDAY-MONDAY
YOUR NEW SCREEN-TEAM IN THE ROLLICKING ROMANCE!
HER FIRST KISS opens a new world to this girl from the wrong side of town that she never dared dream could be hers!
Ginger ROGERS
Joel McCREA
PRIMROSE PATH
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GEORGE RAFT
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"House Across THE BAY"
WITH
JOAN BENNETT
STARTS THURSDAY
WALT DISNEY'S
"PINOCCHIO"
A FULL LENGTH
CARTOON FEATURE
IN TECHNICOLOR